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'Chronicle' Correspondent Deported From Paris

Dangerous To Public Safety'

ORDERS ON KABADI AND FEROZE GANDHI

Sarraut Can't Stand Their Report On French Strike To Indian Papers

(From Our Correspondent).
PARIS, Dec. 2.

MR. SUNDER KABADI, REPRESENTING THE "BOMBAY CHRONICLE" AND THE "AMRIT BAZAR PATRIKA" AND MR. FEROZE GANDHI REPRESENTING "NATIONAL HERALD," LUCKNOW, WHO ARRIVED HERE FROM LONDON ON TUESDAY TO REPORT THE GENERAL

Mr. Sunder Kabadi

STRIKE FOR THE NEWSPAPERS WERE ARRESTED THIS MORNING, AND WERE DEPORTED THIS AFTERNOON BY AN ORDER SIGNED BY M. SARRAUT.

The expulsion order was served this morning by the French Government on both of them. The reason given is their presence is "dangerous to public safety."

It is believed that their cables to India were disliked by the French authorities. Both journalists are returning to London to-night.

It would be recalled that Mr. Kabadi's messages formed the front-page feature of "Bombay Chronicle" for the past few days.

Mr. Kabadi and Mr. Gandhi were taken from the Prefecture under police escort to Dieppe, where they were kept in the police station and placed in the night-boat for Newhaven to-night by the police. They are due in London to-morrow.

It is understood, in the course of Wednesday's strike, Mr. Kabadi and Mr. Gandhi were stopped in Paris street by a plaincloths detective and asked to show papers. They had to accompany him to the Prefecture. There, an official stated that the papers were in order and they were allowed to go after giving their address in Paris.

At 8-10 a.m., a police inspector arrested them at their hotel, and detained them at the Prefecture. An expulsion order was drawn up, stating that they must leave the French territory immediately, as they were a danger to public security. They remained under guard at the Prefecture until the afternoon when they were taken by train. The Ministry of Interior refuses to give the reason for the expulsion.—Reuter.

The funeral of Queen Maud will take place on December 8 at Church of Askershus Castle in Oslo.

Assembly Censures Govt. Conduct

Gordon Highlanders' Memorial Is A Libel On Indian Martyrs For Freedom

C.-in-C.'s Presence In Ceremony Criticised

(From Our Correspondent)
NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

The Assembly passed without division, Mr. Sri Prakasa's adjournment motion censuring the Government for associating themselves through the Commander-in-Chief with a memorial opened yesterday to the Gordon Highlanders, the Memorial bearing an inscription, in which Indians, who fought against them, are described as "mutineers".

"A DELICATE SITUATION HANDLED WITH DIGNITY".

This remark in the lobby sums up to-day's debate on the adjournment motion, which was carried without division in the Assembly

This was the first censure motion to be taken up this Session, and according to lobby gossip, it might have been disallowed by the Governor-General, if he had not left on tour last night.

The subject matter of the motion was the Commander-in-Chief's presence at a function where memorial tablet was unveiled making reference to sepoy fighters of 1857 as "mutineers."

It was apparently a surprise to the Government that the Muslim League Party also decided to support the motion. As a non-official majority was certain, Government wisely decided not to challenge division.

LIBEL ON INDIAN HEROES

After the earlier discussion on Income-Tax Bill, Mr Sri Prakasa moved the adjournment motion in an impressive speech. He said he was exceedingly pained to read the description of a ceremony about six miles away from Delhi where "my people who rightly or wrongly were fighting for their freedom have been referred to as mutineers and as enemies."

What was their fault, "The only fault they committed was that they lost where the Americans fought and won and so became the warriors of freedom; we fought and lost, and we are dubbed "mutineers"

The principle that actuated the Americans and actuated us was the same, but the results were different, and being different, we are dubbed by different names. Scotland and England have also fought. It is said that for centuries, a deeper river of flood separated them than the river Tweed which separates them to-day. And to-day Wallace and Bruce and even the Great King Edward the First are alike heroes of the two nations, and nobody wants to erect a memorial in the field of Bannockburn, whence the English had to fly or at the London Bridge where Wallace's head was exposed to the jeers of the London crowds of that time. Would my Hon'ble friends want me to raise a memorial at the Kuni Darwaza (in Delhi) where tradition says hundreds of my people were shot at the cannon's mouth from day to day, and about which it is said that when the Valiant General found one day that only 99 were available, he added his own Khansama so that the quota of hundred might be made up? (cheers). He had no objection to private friends and relatives raising memorials to the dead. "Even murderers have their friends, and those friends may hold their memory as dear.

But when the Commander-in-Chief of the Army in India goes down and associates himself with this ceremony, he puts

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NO OATH FOR CITY FATHERS

Madras Corporation Demand

MADRAS, Dec. 1.

At a meeting of the Madras City Council held under the presidentship of Mr. K. Venkataswami Naidu, the Mayor , a resolution requesting the Government to delete Section 53 (A) of the Madras City Municipal Act, dealing with the taking of the oath of allegiance by all Councillors and Aldermen, was passed.

Various speakers at the meeting observed that Congress had no ill-will against the person of His Majesty the King. But Congressmen were opposed to imperialism and hence it was logically necessary that the oath should be abolished. —United Press.

C. P. MINISTERS SEE MAHATMA

Important Parleys With Bajaj

WARDHAGANJ, Dec. 2.

Sardar Kibe of Indore has arrived here for interviewing Mahatma Gandhi to-morrow.

The Hon. Mr. Shukla, Premier, Central Provinces, and the Hon. Mr. Mishra interviewed Gandhiji this afternoon for two hours.

The Hon. Mr. Shukla and the Hon. Mr. Mishra were closetted for about ninety minutes with Seth Jamnalal after returning from Shegaon, but the nature of their discussion is kept a secret. Both the Ministers drove to Nagpur later.

Mr. Jairamdas Daulatram again interviewed Gandhiji.—A. P.

PENTANGULAR FINAL COMMENCES TO-DAY

The following are the Rival Teams, for the final of the Pentangular Cricket Tournament, between the Hindus and the Muslims, which commences at the Brabourne Stadium to-day:—

C. K. Nayudu

S. Wazir Ali

RIVAL TEAMS

HINDUS

C. K. NAYUDU (Captain)
L. AMARSING
V. M. MERCHANT
L. P. JAI
D. D. HINDLEKAR
C. S. NAYUDU
VINOO MANKAD
S. BANNERJEE
R. B. NIMBALKAR
ROSHAN LAL
P. J. CHURY

MUSLIMS

S. WAZIR ALI (Captain)
M. NISSAR
S. NAZIR ALI
AMIR ELAHI
DILAWAR HUSSAIN
MUBARAK ALI
ABBAS KHAN
S. M. KADRI
K. C. IBRAHIM
SAEED AHMED
MUSHTAQ ALI

RESERVES

PRITHVI RAJ
S. R. GODAMBE
Y. N. LALJEE
SURTI

Civic Test Case Sensation

Croydon City Fathers To Pay For Typhoid Epidemic

LONDON, Dec. 2.

In the King's Bench Division, the Croydon Corporation was held legally liable for the typhoid epidemic which swept the district a year ago and caused 43 deaths.

Mr. Justice Stable blamed the Corporation, when he gave judgment in a test case on which rested the fate of two-hundred similar actions.

Negligence, he said, had been conclusively proved The action, the hearing of which lasted nine days, was brought by a father and his daughter, the latter having been seriously ill with typhoid for some weeks. The girl was awarded a hundred sterling, and an agreed sum to the father to cover expenses. The judgment is being entered with costs against the Council.

A stay of execution has been granted in view of an appeal.

The Judge said that it was obvious that contaminated water supply was the cause of the typhoid outbreak.—Reuter.

Muslim League And Pakistan Question

ALLAHABAD, Dec. 2.

It is reliably learnt that the Council of the Muslim League which is due to meet at Delhi will seriously consider the question of Pakistan with a view to propose a Federation of British Indian provinces and States where Muslims are in a majority.—United Press

TEMPLE ENTRY BILL FOR SELECT COMMITTEE

MADRAS, Dec. 2.

The motion of the Premier to refer the Malabar Temple Entry Bill to a Select Committee with instructions to submit by 5th instant was carried in the Madras Assembly this evening by 106 votes to two.—A. P.

Victory Of Provinces Over Central Govt.

FEDERAL COURT VERDICT

Sales Tax On Petrol Not 'Ultra Vires' Of C. P. Legislature, Says Chief Justice

(From Our Correspondent)
NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

An important point affecting the future of taxation policy on the provinceswas decided to-day by the Federal Court.

In separate but concurring judgments, the judges held that it was open to the provincial legislatures to levy tax on sale of goods and that the power vested in the Central Legislature for levying Excise Duties should be confined to the stage of manufacture and production and not retail sales.

This, according to the Chief Justice Sir Maurice Gwyer followed the decision of the Australian Court and practice hitherto obtaining in India according to which Excise duties have hitherto been levied only at the stage of manufacture and production. The Federal Court has therefore decided to recommend to the Governor-General that the Central Provinces Bill to levy tax on sale of motor-spirits and lubricants should be held at within the competence of the Provincial legislature.

Win For Provinces

The provincial ministers now present at Delhi welcome the judgment and are pleased that in this first legal tussle between the Provinces and the Centre, the former has won decisively. The result of the judgment—and there's no reason to think that the Governor-General wouldn't accept it—is that a new field of taxation is now open to the provinces who, irrespective of the fact whether any commodity has to pay Excise duty levied by the Central Government or not, can impose tax on retail sales of that commodity within their respective areas.

The Court has definitely turned down the Government of India's contention that Provinces could impose only turnover tax and not tax on retail sales.

The possible effect, so far as the Government of India's revenues are concerned is that, if there is double-tax on the same commodity, one by the Centre as Excise on production and another by the Province on retail sale, it will necessarily increase the sale price and amount of consumption may go down. To this extent the Central Government's revenues may adversely be affected.

TRAVANCORE BANK RECONSTRUCTION

Shareholders And Creditors To Consider Scheme

MADRAS, Dec. 2.

In the Madras High Court this afternoon, Mr. Justice Venkataramana Rao passed orders on an application filed by certain creditors of the Travancore National and Quilon Bank Ltd., ordering a meeting of the General Body of creditors and shareholders to be held, to consider a reconstruction scheme.

He also directed that the full scheme of re-organisation along with the report of the official liquidator and other relevant papers should be circulated to each creditor and shareholder.

The consideration of other details connected with the meeting was adjourned till Monday next.—A.P.

JAWAHARLAL FOR LUCKNOW

ALLAHABAD, Dec. 2.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru leaves Allahabad for Lucknow to-night and will return here on December 6.—United Press.

Italy Prepared To March On France

Gayda's Bombast Lends Colour To Ciano's Performance

ROME, Dec. 2.

Wednesday's demonstration in the Chamber of Deputies when after Count Ciano's "Legitimate Aspirations" speech, the Deputies rose crying "Tunis, Corsica, Nice" had repercussions to-day when Signor Gayda writing in "Giornale d'Italia" said:

"The Italian Nation is solidly behind the Government and is ready for anything. Ready if necessary to march even against France."—Reuter.

Signor Gayda's challenge in the "Gironale d'Ttalia" is believed to have been made rather to lend weight to Italy's claims than to serve as an actual invitation to battle.

In his article, Signor Gayda also attacks alleged French misapprehensions regarding the strength of Fascist Italy.

"The surprise registered by French newspapers," he writes, "at the results achieved in this historic time can only be explained by their deliberate ignorance of all that have been pieced together day by day to form the State spirit of Italians."—Reuter.

"REGRET THESE BOMBASTICS"

PARIS, Dec. 2.

"We much regret these bombastics whether from Signor Gayda as the mouthpiece of Mussolini or other polemic writers," said a French politician when informed by Reuter of Signor Gayda's statement.

He added "we also are sure that no one doubts that the whole of France likewise is ready to rise in defence of any territories which now fly the French Flag."—Reuter.

VON RIBBENTROP'S PARIS PROGRAMME

PARIS, Dec. 2.

Herr Von Ribbentrop arrives on Tuesday for the signature of Franco-German "no war" declaration.

The signing ceremony takes place in the afternoon whereafter,

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FEDERAL COURT'S DECISION

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

The Federal Court to-day unanimously held that the Central Provinces act to levy a sales tax on petrol is not 'ultra vires' of the Central Provincial Legislature.

On the ground of its being repugnant to the existing law enacted by the Central Legislature leave had been granted to appeal to the Federal Court.

The three Judges delivered separate but concurrent judgments declaring that a sales tax fell within the competence of provincial legislatures.

This being the first case of importance, Sir Maurice Gwyer indicated certain principles that would guide the Court in future. He said that a constitution being a mechanism under which laws are to be made and not a mere act, should be interpreted in a liberal spirit.

The claim of the Government

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Wanted a competent Electrical Engineer with knowledge of diesel engines for the post of a manager by a small supply company. Man of active habits with experience in dealing with the public desirable. Apply with full particulars and salary required to Box No. 11095 "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted a Technically qualified Finishing Master, possessing knowledge of Machine and Dhobi bleaching and Dyeing of cloth and yarn. The selected candidate will have to supervise Dhobi bleaching in addition to his duties. Apply stating lowest terms acceptable to the Manager, Asarwa Mills, Ahmedabad. (10033)

Wanted a Graduate in Agriculture having field experience for at least five years and who should be capable of undertaking development of cane area in North Behar with up-to-date methods. Pay according to qualifications. Please apply immediately stating qualifications experience and minimum salary required and enclosing testimonials to the Industrial Corporation Ltd. Post Box 28, Ahmedabad. (10035)

Wanted—A Hospital Laboratory Assistant:—For clinical Laboratory at Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital. Scale of Pay Rs. 30|- P.M. increasing upto Rs. 40 by seniority grade. Service is Pensionable. Applicants should submit their applications to the undersigned before 15th December, 1938 Stating age, Caste, Qualifications, training and Experience with testimonials. Chief Medical Officer, Bhavnagar State, Bhavnagar. (10021)

Wanted Immediately—Two really Active Salesmen for Bombay. Previous experience not essential but must possess integrity and intelligence Permanent prospects. Apply Box No. 11098, "Bombay Chronicle"

Wanted M.B.B.S. Doctor Lady Sub-assistant Surgeon Matron also nurses for Hospital outstation. Apply Box No. 11096, "Bombay Chronicle."

42. SITUATIONS VACANT

Wanted—A well qualified Kindergarten Teacher with experience for a Girls' High School in Bombay. Apply stating minimum salary, age, qualifications, testimonials, etc. before 17th December to Box No. 11101 "Bombay Chronicle."

Applications are invited from Honours Graduate of a good Foreign University in Arts, Science or Engineering for training for the combined post of Works and Office Assistant." Salary Rs. 150 - for six months and on confirmation after probation in the grade of 200|- 25|200. Apply with full particulars to the Agents, Swastik Oil Mills Ltd., 27, Bastion Road, Fort, Bombay. (11100)

Wanted an experienced all-round diplomaed agriculturist for a small State in Kathiawar, pay Rs. 60-2-5-100. Apply with copies of testimonials, stating age, qualifications and previous experience to Box No. 9988, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted immediately two First Class Stenographers on salaries of Rs. 150 and Rs. 120 per month, for a period of about four months. Persons with speeds of 120 to 150 words per minute in Shorthand and 60 to 70 words per minute in typing (which will be tested) need only apply. Applications should be sent to Box No. 10025 "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted Asst. Manager (office routine) Start Rs. 50|- prospects 60|-. Cash deposit Rs. 500/-. Submit particulars for interview. Retired qualifications considered, Apply Box No. 11033. "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted Immediately four first class Reporters for the Textile Labour Inquiry Committee. Salary according to qualifications. Apply personally, to the Acting Secretary, Labour Office, Secretariat, Bombay, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. (10024)

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At Parekh Building, New Queen's Road an airy comfortable and a newly oil-painted flat on the second floor is to be let to vegetarian Hindus. Apply Maganlal Mehta, Top Floor. (11099)

To Let—At Cambata Building, 42, Queen's Road, Churchgate Reclamation, most up-to-date large luxurious flat of drawing, dining and 4 large bed-rooms with attached bathrooms, fully equipped and double lifts, on fourth floor, overlooking Back Bay. Most suitable for a big office or Consulate. Also other two and three bedroom luxurious flats, garages and shops. Apply Manager on premises. (11102)

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Pitman's Commercial Examination The Insditute of Commerce and The Faculty of Teachers in Commerce Shorthand speed 2sh 6d. Typewriting (adv.) 2sh 6d. Accountancy Banking Secretaryship, Insurance Auditing, General Commercial Knowledge Company and Commercial Law Salesmanship Correspondence etc. 2sh. 6d. per subject. Apply Lentin's Commercial College 39, Meadows Street. (11097)

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Wanted—1000 pupils to practically learn Hypnotism, Mesmerism, Thought-Reading, Crystal Gazing Auto Suggestion etc. by Post. For particulars send one anna stamp Prof. Rudra, 1005, Surendra Banerjee Road, Calcutta. (10969)

174. BOOKS

Practical Race Calculator, only book reveals unknown system to find winner, Stone-Wall Certainty, Regain Your Losses, Rs. 5|-. King Co., Booksellers, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay. (11079)

191. MEDICAL ADLETS

Sexus Paste, best and cheapest Contraceptive. Gelotube, best and cheapest Venereal Preventive. Right Agency, Girgaum, Bombay. (10710)

327. AGENTS WANTED

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ELPHINSTONE COLLEGE DAY will be celebrated on Saturday the 17th December. Mr. Bhulabhai Desai presiding. Past students wishing to join are requested to send their contributions (not less than Re. 1/8 each) to PROF. C. R. SHAH, Elphinstone College. (11104)

BOMBAY TELEPHONE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the DEBENTURE STOCK TRANSFER REGISTER and the REGISTER OF DEBENTURE STOCKHOLDERS will be CLOSED from the 18th day of December 1938 to the 31st day of December 1938, (both days inclusive) for preparation of Interest Warrants.

P. V. R. IYER,
Joint Secretary.
Bombay, 2nd December 1938. (10041)

Legal Notices

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

O. O. C. J.

IN THE COURT OF THE SENIOR SUBORDINATE JUDGE, DELHI.

Suit No. 37 of 1933.

Messrs. THE COMMERCIAL CREDIT CORPORATION LTD., of 10 Alipur Road, Delhi ..... Plaintiffs.
vs.
NAWAB MAHOMED MUKARRAM ALI KHAN Caste Rajput Musalman at present Mumtas Bagh Jaipur ..... Defendant.

WHEREAS by a decree passed in the above suit on the 26th day of May, 1933, it was ordered that the defendant do pay unto the Plaintiffs the sum of Rs. 10,129-13-6 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 26th day of May, 1933, to the date of realization of the said sum and do also pay to the plaintiffs the sum of Rs. 912-12-0, the costs of this suit.

And whereas by a Warrant of attachment of movable property dated the 12th day of August, 1938, the following movable property, namely "Lincoln Car No. Q. A. 8156 Engine and Chasis No. H. 62516 shipped per S. S. "Soudan" from England" was attached.

Now notice is hereby given that the Sheriff of Bombay will under and by virtue of a Judge's order, dated the 30th day of September, 1938 and a Warrant for sale, dated the 28th day of October, 1938, sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of December, 1938, at 3-0 p.m. (S.T.) in a garage at Wellington Mews, Wodehouse Road, within the Fort, the aforesaid movable property for the satisfaction of the said decree, interest, costs, costs of previous and this execution together with Sheriff's poundage and other amounts mentioned in the Judge's order passed on the 30th day of September 1938 herein.

The Plaintiffs have obtained permission to bid at the Sale and to set off the amount of purchase price against the amount due to them under the aforesaid decree so for as the same may extent subject to payment of a sum of Rs. 557-1-0 for claim and a further sum of Rs. 25 for costs to Messrs. Little & Co. on behalf of Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son Ltd.

The price of the bid to be paid for at the time of Sale.

For further information and conditions of Sale application should be made at the office of the Sheriff of Bombay or at the office of Messrs. Manilal Kher and Ambalal attorneys for the plaintiffs, 80, Esplanade Road Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1938.

M. I. ROWJEE,
Sheriff of Bombay.
10026.

Public Notices

TRAVANCORE NATIONAL & QUILON BANK LIMITED (in Liquidation)

CLAIMS.

RELATIVE to the Liquidators' advertisements dated November 23rd and 24th, 1938, creditors in the above liquidation are informed that their claims WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNLESS THE RELATIVE DOCUMENTS, i.e. Pass Books, Receipts, Certificates, Drafts, Pay Orders, etc. ARE SUBMITTED THEREWITH

J. V. PIRRIE
CYRIL GILL
Official Liquidators.
Madras, 29th. Nov. 38.
10032

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

ARTIFICERS & ARTISANS

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for vacancies in the following Branches of the Royal Indian Navy, to reach on or before 20th December, 1938:

(1) MECHANICIANS. (ENGINE ROOM BRANCH).
Essential Qualifications.
Age:—18—24
Minimum Educational attainments:—Pre-matriculation. Able to speak, read and write English and speak Urdu.
Practical or Technical:—
(a) Must have served an apprenticeship of at least 4 years' duration in an Engineering firm of repute and attended instructional classes in Mechanical Engineering subjects.
or
(b) Undergone a course of training in Mechanical Engineering in a recognised Technical College.
PAY
Rs. 70-120 per mensem, with food, clothing and accommodation. After completing the necessary qualifying service selected Mechanicians are eligible for promotion to Warrant Rank Pay Rs. 130-270.

(2) Electrical Artificers (Electrical Branch).
Essential Qualifications.
Age and Educational attainments:
As detailed in para (1) above.
Practical or Technical:—
(a) Must be in possession of a Supervisors Certificate issued by the Government of Bombay, or equivalent authority.
or
(b) Undergone a course of training in Electrical Engineering in a recognised Technical College.
PAY.
Rs. 35-120 per mensem, with food, clothing and accommodation.

(3) Ordnance Artificers (Maintenance of Guns).
Essential Qualifications.
Age and Educational attainments.—
As detailed in para (1) above.
Practical and Technical.
As detailed in para 1 (a) or (b) above.
PAY.
Rs. 35-120 per mensem, with food, clothing and accommodation.

(4) Apply in writing, stating age, educational and technical qualifications and practical experience with copies of certificates and references to The Commanding Officer, Naval Depot, H. M. I. Dockyard, Bombay.

C. J. NICOLL,
Captain.
Navy Office,
Bombay, 2nd December, 1938.
(10036)

PROPERTIES FOR SALE.

OFFERS ARE INVITED upto 31st December, 1938, for purchase of the following Properties belonging to the Gondal State:—

1 Shantibhuvan with adjoining houses, servants' quarters, garages, etc. with an area of nearly 10215 sq. yards situated at Pedder Road

2. Vacant plots at Juhu measuring about 58000 sq. yards exclusive of the Bungalow with 5000 sq. yards.

The State is desirous to dispose off both the properties together and offers may be sent to the Dewan, Gondal State, likewise, who on reference will supply a copy of terms and conditions of sale.

Further information if required may be obtained from Mr. Bhagwanlal P. Worah, 14, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay.

The State does not bind itself to accept the highest or any offer. 9369.

Public Notices

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

TENDERS for the supply of 2205 Rft. of 12 cast iron or steel pipes as per the specification attached to the form of contract will be received upto 1 P. M. (Bombay Time) on Wednesday the 4th day of January 1939.

Tenders should be sealed and superscribed "Tender for 12" cast iron or steel pipes", addressed to the Municipal Commissioner and delivered at the office of the Municipal Chief Accountant with a deposit of Rs. 3,500/-

Forms of contract, specification &c., can be had from the office of the Mechanical Engineer, Municipal Workshops, Foras Road, Bombay, on payment of a fee of Re. 1/- each form which will, on no account, be refunded.

The Mechanical Engineer will, on application, give any further information that may be required.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Sd.) N. V. MODAK
City Engineer.
Municipal Offices.
Bombay, 30th Nov. 1938.
10038

THE CENTRAL PROVINCES RAILWAYS COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of The Central Provinces Railways Company, Limited, will be held on Monday, the 19th day of December 1938 at 4-30 p. m. at the Registered Office of the Company, Home Street, Fort, Bombay, to transact the following business:—

1st.—To adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts made up to 30th September 1938.
2nd.—To declare a Dividend.
3rd.—To elect Directors in the place of Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Kt., C.I.E., M.B.E., and Sir Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Kt., who retire by rotation, but are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.
4th.—To appoint Auditors for the current year and fix their remuneration.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Monday, the 5th to Monday, the 19th December 1938, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
KILLICK, NIXON & CO.,
Agents.
Bombay 23rd. November 1938
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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai BANOOBAI SHAVAKSHA TROMBAYWALLA and SHAVAKSHA JIWANJEE TROMBAYWALLA both of Bombay Parsee inhabitants the Mortgagees, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

THAT any person or persons having any claim, right, title, and interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, charge, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance lease or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same in writing to the undersigned at their office at 36, Tamarind House, Tamarind Lane Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within FOURTEEN days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived:

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY:—

ALL that piece or parcel of leasehold land or ground with the messuage tenements or dwelling house, standing thereon situate, lying and being on the North-Eastern side of Bellasis Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 691 square yards or thereabouts and which said piece of land is known as plot No. 16 of the First Nagpada Estate Scheme of the Bombay Improvement Trust and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 3698, Cadastral Survey No. 1464 of Byculla Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under "E" Ward No. 3215-18 and Street Nos. 1-3 and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the North and East by a service passage and two spaces left for dust bins, on or towards the South-West by Bellasis Road on or towards the North-West by plot No. 15 of the First Nagpada Estate.

Bombay dated this 3rd day of December, 1938.

GHULAMALI NOORANI & CO.
Purchaser's Attorneys.
10040.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HAWABAI HOOSEIN COOVADIA has agreed to sell the undermentioned property to my client. Persons claiming the same by way of mortgage, charge, gift, lease, lien, incumbrance, easement, or otherwise howsoever are requested to make the nature of their claim known to the undersigned in writing at his Office, 41, Bruce Street, Fort, Bombay, within a fortnight from this date, failing which the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the claim, if any, will be deemed to be waived.

DESCRIPTION.

Piece of Quit and Ground Rent Land at 1st CARPENTER STREET, with the building thereon area 123 Square Yards or thereabouts Laughton's Survey No. 5220, Cadastral Survey No. 3080, of Bhuleshwar Division C Ward No. 6561, Street No. 21 bounded, on the North by the 1st Carpenter Street South Sweeper's passage, West property of Krishnarao Anant and East property of Vishwanath Yamnaji.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1938.

G. B. PANDYA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
41, Bruce Street, Bombay.
10039.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that SORABJI RUSTOMJI MADON and MEHERBAI, wife of the said Sorabji Rustomji Madon both of Bombay Parsi Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, exchange, gift, lease lien, charge, trust maintenance, possession, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Lentin Chambers, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All That piece or parcel of leasehold land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon containing by admeasurement an area of nine hundred and forty-one (941) square yards or thereabouts situated on and being Plot No. 304 of the Dadar-Matunga Estate of the Bombay Municipality in the City and Island of Bombay and Registration Sub-District of Bombay bounded, on the North-East by Plot No. 309 of the said Estate, on the South-East by Plot No. 303 of the said Estate, on the South-West by a road 20 feet in width now known as Bhimani Street and on the North-West by Plot No. 305 of the said Estate which piece of land bears New Survey No. 854 part and Cadastral Survey No. 238/10 Matunga Division and assessed by the Municipality under F Ward No. 7596 (5) and (6) and Street No. 1063D and 1063E.

Dated this 1st day of December, 1938.

AMARCHAND & MANGALDAS.
Purchasers' Attorneys.
10027.

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The Machines and all other things belonging to the press with its Goodwill will be put up in one or separate lots as may be determined at the time of sale.

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(3) the right, title and interest of Insolvent L.N.A. Bhat in several pieces of land situate at Yelur in Yelur Taluka in Kurundwad State (Junior) as under—

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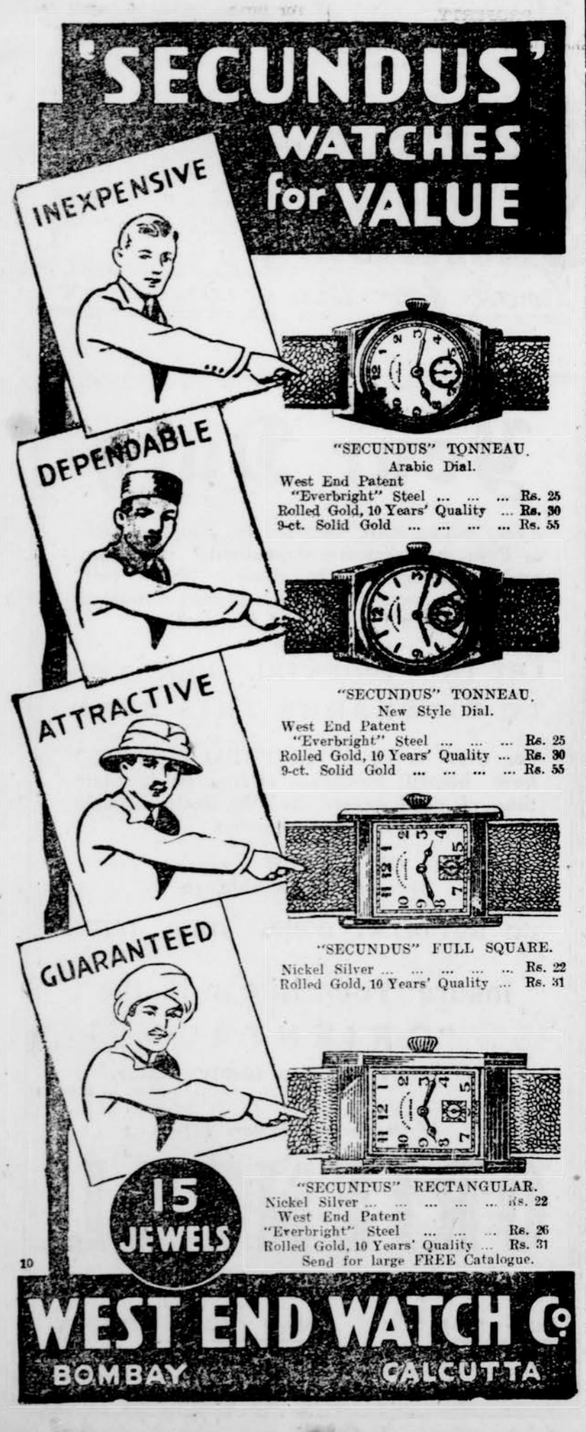

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Delhi—Programme

VUD 338.6 metres (886 kc/s)
a.m.
8-0 Mukerjee and music makers. 8-10 Shankrabai. 8-30 Onkar Lal. 8-50 Morning News. (Hindustni). 9-0 Morning news. (English). 9-10 R. R. Chowdhary. 9-25 Ghaffar Haider. 9-40 Shankrabai
noon.
12-0 Woman's World.
p.m.
12-30 Gramophone Records. 1-0 Favourite Favourites 2-0 Geography: Travel talk. 2-15 Musical Interlude. 2-20 Health and Hygiene. 6-0 News. (English). 6-5 News. (Hindustani). 6-10 Onkar Lal. 6-35 Amateur Attempts 7-0 For villagers only. 8-0 Marriages and married life. Talk by Kh. Mohammad Shafi. 8-15 R. R. Chowdhary. 8-30 Shankrabai.. 8-45 Khayal ki Durgat. 9-15 News (Hindustani). 9-30 News (English). 9-45 News, Announcements. 9-50 Surbahar Solo by Malang Khan: Kedara.. 10-0 Glorification of the past. Talk by Dr. A. A. Puri. 10-15 R. R. Chowdhary. 10-30 Shankrabai. 11-0 News.

Delhi—II Programme

31.3 metres (9,590 kc-s)
a.m.
8-0 to 8-10 As in Delhi I. 8-10 Angurbabaia. 8-30 to 9-10 As in Delhi I. 9-10 Abdul Aziz Khan. 9-40 Shankrabai.
31.3 metres (9,590 kc/s)
12-0 noon to 2-35 p.m. As in Delhi I.
60.48 metres (4,960 kc/s)
p.m.
6-0 News. 6-10 Shankrabai. 6-35 R.R. Chowdhary. 7-0 Onkarlal. 7-15 Instrumental Music. 7-30 Cocktail-Time. 8-0 Contrast. 8-15 Onkar Lal. 8-30 Your selections. 9-15 News. 9-50 Berlin State Orchestra. 10-0 Snares and Delusions. 10-15 Lawrence Burkhalter. (Violin). 10-45 London Philharmonic Orchestra. 11-0 News.

Delhi—III Programme

19.8 metres (15,160 kc/s)
a.m.
8-0 to 8-10 As in Delhi I. 8-10 to 8-30 As in Delhi II. 8-30 to 10-0 As in Delhi I.
19.8 metres (15,160 kc/s)
12-0 noon to 2-35 p.m. As in Delhi I.
TRANSMISSION III
31.3 metres (9,590 kc/s)
p.m.
6-0 to 6-10 As in Delhi I. 6-10 6-35 As in Delhi II. 6-35 to 7-0 As in Delhi I. 7-0 to 8-0 As in Delhi II. 8-0 to 11-0 As in Delhi I.

Bombay—I Programme

VUB 244 metres (1,231 kc/s)
a.m.
8-0 Records. 10-30 Cricket. Commentary by Talyarkhan.
p.m.
1-0 Market Rates. Announcements. 1-5 Music. 1-30 Children's Hour. 3-30 For Children. (Marathi). 4-15 Cricket. Commentary by Talyarkhan. 6-0 Vimala Devi. Marathi pad and film song. 6-10 Hot from screen: I 6-15 H. Khan Mastana. 6-30 For Baumijan. 7-30 Commercial News. 7-45 Saints and Sayings II. 8-0 New Marathi Books. Talk by Vaman Malhar Joshi. 8-15 H. Khan Mastana. 8-30 Out of the Rut II. 8-25 Firoze Dastur. 9-0 News (Hindustani). 9-15 Compositions of Ghalib. 9-30 News. 9-45 Bombay Government Apprentice. Training Scheme. Talk by D. C. Gupta. 10-5 H. Khan Mastana. 10-20 Durbari on the Vichitra Been. 10-25 to 11-0 Panditrao Nagarker.

Bombay—II Programme

31.4 metres (9,550 kc/s)
a.m.
8-0 to 9-0 a.m. and 10-30 a.m. to 2-0 p.m. As in Bombay I.
31.4 metres (9,550 kc/s)
p.m.
3-30 to 5-30 As in Bombay I.
61.48 metres (4,880 kc/s)
p.m.
6-0 to 6-30 As in Bombay I. 6-30 to 6-55 Panditrao Nagarker. 6-55 Jaltrang and Clarionet. 7-0 Firoze Dastur. 7-30 to 10-5 As in Bombay I. 10-5 Erwin Klein and Orchestra. 10-30 Paulo: The singing clown. 10-35 Quest Hour: European Music. 11-0 Epilogue.

Calcutta—I Programme

(Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time.)
VUC 370.4 metres (810 kc/s)
p.m.
12-30 AIR Light Orchestra. 1-15 Market Rates. 1-17 Leslie Hutchinson at Piano. Weather for Ocean. 1-30 Commercial News, Announcements. (Bengali). 1-35 Woman's Mind. Talk by Renuka Sen. 1-50 Dakshina Mohan Tagore: Sitar Solo. 1-58 Art of dyeing. Talk by Madhuri Dutt. 2-5 Record. 5-0 For Countryside. 6-0 Robin Roy. 6-20 Leelabai. 6-40 Instrumental Duet. 6-50 Ram Krishna Misra. 7-20 Ganer Dali 8-5 At Manosarovar—lake of lakes. Talk in Bengali by Chatterjee 8-20 Commercial news (Bengali). 8-25 Local news. (Bengali). News, Weather. 8-30 In Bengali. 8-35 In English. 9-0 Local news. 9-5 Commercial news. Announcements. 9-10 Queenie wood: Soprano. 9-30 Kala to Gyantse. Talk by Gracia Cohane. 9-45 Dance to music of Casanovas.

Calcutta—II Programme

TRANSMISSION I
31.48 metres (9,530 kc/s))
p.m.
12-30 to 2-30 As in Calcutta I.
TRANSMISSION II
61.98 metres (4,840 kc/s)
p.m.
5-0 to 10-30 As in Calcutta I.

Madras—I Programme

VUM 211 metres (1,420 kc/s).
p.m.
5-0 Chittoor Subramania Pillai: vocal. 6-30 Programme for children (Tamil). 7-0 Varnam in Nayaki Raga and Khandajati Triputa Tala. 7-15 Imperial Library at Calcutta, talk in Telugu by S. L Sastry. 7-30. A. K. Chellammal Jaltarang. 8-0 Gems and pearls, by T. M. Krshnaswami Iyer: Vocal. 9-0 News weather report 9-15 Sports, talk by H. R. G. Keystone. 9-30 Fritz Kreisler: Violin. 9-34 Amy Woodeforde-Finden's four Indian Love Lyrics. 9-47 Quentin by T. M. Krishnaswami Iyer. Vocal. S. Dyas Pianoforte. 10-17 Interlude. 10-20 Dancing Time. 10-30 Epilogue.

Madras—II Programme

60.93 metres (4,920 kc/s).
p.m.
5-0 to 6-0 As in Madras I. 6-0 Duet by Venketesan and Janaki. 6-5 Market reports, announcements (Tamil). 6-10 Rinderpest: a talk in Tamil. 6-20 Blindness. 6-30 to 9-30 As in Madras I. 9-30 Swarajoti T. A. Nagaswamy Bhagavathar: Vocal.

Peshawar Programme

V U P 200 metres (1,500 kc/s)
5-30 Announcements in Hindustani. 5-40 Naat by Qadir Baksh. 5-50 Zeenat Begam. 6-0 Hour with villagers. 7-0 Zeenat Begam. 7-20 Mehr Baksh: Sarod. 7-25 Habib Jan. 7-45 Pessimists a talk in Hindustani by Prof. M Timur. 8-0 Zeenat Begam. 8-20 Jam-i-Rangeen. 8-30 Habib Jan. 8-50 Qadir Baksh: Thumdi. 9-15 Evening News (Hindustani). 9-30 in (English). 9-45 Zeenat Begam. 10-5 Indian music. 10-10 Dil ki Tapish.

Lahore Programme

V U L 276 metres (1,086 kc/s)
p.m.
6-0 Announcement in Hindustani. 6-10 Badr-Un-Nisa Begam of Santokgarh. 6-25 Nighma by Feroze and Faiz. 6-30 For countryside. 7-0 Pearey Lal. 7-25 Jam-i-Rangin. 7-35 Inayatbai Dheruwali. 8-0 Short story in Hindustani. 8-15 Airvoice orchestra: Caravan. 8 20 Jan Bache Lakhon Pa'e, play in Hindustani. 9-0 Badr-Un-Nisa Begam of Santokhgarh. 9-15 Evening News, (Hindustani). 9-30 Evening News (English). 9-45 Starry heavens above spiral Nebulae, talk by P. Samuels Lall. 10-0 Pearey Lal. 10-45 Badr-Un-Nissa Begam of Santokhgarh. 10-35 Inayatbai Dheruwali.

Lucknow Programme

V U W 298.5 metres (1,022 kc/s)
p.m.
5-30 Request. 6-0 Ek tha Raja. 6-30 Kumari Pratima Bhadury. 6-45 Mahesh Narain Saxena. 7-5 Akhtarbai Faizabadi. 7-30 Classical melodies. 7-40 Mubarak Husain. 7-50 Kumari Pratima Bhadury. 8-0 Stage and screen. 8-15 Mehesh Narain Saxena. 8-40 Radio Artist. 8-50 Akhtaribai. 9-15 News (Hindustani). 9-30 News (English). 9-45 India, talk by Russel A. Gregory. 10-0 Mahesh Narain Saxena. 10-25 Radio orchestra: Rageshwari. 10-35 Akhtaribai.

B. B. C. Programme

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p.m.
7-30 H. Robinson Cleaver. 7-55 Cards on the table. 8-15 Dance music. 8-45 League Division. 9-45 News Saturday sport. 10-10 Rae Jenkins's Trio.
10-50 to 11.45 p.m. Arabic programme—GSC 31.32 metres (9.58 Mc/s.)

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For sanitary round and visiting the chawls the members of the Social Workers' Society will meet on Sunday 4th December at 9-45 a.m. at Foras Road junction.

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2-15 p.m. The Novice Plate (Div. II)—1 Mile.
MIKHLIF PASHA 1
SHIREEN 2
MISBAH AL MULUK 3

2-45 p.m. The Tenby Plate (Div. II)—1 Mile.
GORDON 1
CYMRO 2
MOUNT DIL 3

3-15 p.m. The Bangalore Plate—6 Furlongs.
MISS LENA 1
PRIDE OF INDIA 2
VANITY FAIR 3

3-45 p.m. The Tenby Plate (Div. I)—1 Mile.
SOLTERO 1
MISS GRENVILLE 2
MADEMOISELLE EILEEN 3

4-15 p.m. The Manchester Plate—6 Furlongs.
TELLER 1
LOVE CALL 2
WHO'S WHO 3

4-45 p.m. The Carlisle Plate (Div. II)—7 Furlongs.
DOMINIC 1
MONTE CARLO 2
ARCHMOON 3

5-15 p.m. The Windsor Plate—7 Furlongs.
ZUYDER ZEE 1
SYNAGOGUE 2
KARAWAY 3

5-45 p.m. The Carlisle Plate (Div. I)—7 Furlongs.
TOLTEC 1
GARDEN WARBLER 2
GUIDING QUEEN 3

Double:—GORDON and TELLER.

Treble:—SOLTERO, DOMINIC and ZUYDER ZEE.

Harvey Wins Heavy Weight Championship

Phillips Disqualified For Low Blow

LONDON, Dec. 1.

At the Harringay arena in London, in the British heavy-Weight championship in a fifteen-round bout, Len Harvey 12st. 13½lb. won in the fourth round, Eddie Phillips 13st 8½ lb. being disqualified for a low blow.

Len Harvey, who was already the British light-weight champion, became a dual title holder when he won the vacant British heavy-weight title, Eddie Phillips being disqualified in the fourth round for an alleged low blow.

After quiet two rounds in which Len Harvey, with strong blows to the left piled up points, there was plenty of action in the third round, in which the referree cautioned Phillips.

The fourth round opened dramatically. An uppercut sent Phillips to the canvas like a log, but he struggled to his feet after a count of nine and rallied strongly, with Harvey trying vainly to land a knock-out.

Phillips was getting stronger every second. Appeared a blow low enough to be worthy of disqualification, but despite the fact that Harvey was obviously in great pain and was hardly able to hold his hands up, the referree signalled to him to box on. Almost immediately afterwards, with Phillips hitting Harvey all over the ring, the referree disqualified Phillips, awarding Harvey the verdict.

There was an attendance of 11,000

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Madras Mail	6 00	22 10
Peshawar Lucknow (Exp.)	6 15	23 00
Calcutta Mail (Nagpur)	7 50	17 40
Calcutta Mail (Chheoki)	9 00	0 45
Madras Express	10 10	15 00
Poona Mail	10 25	17 30
Punjab Mail	11 15	18 50
Nagpur Express	13 50	21 35
Poona East (Pass.)	17 00	11 50
Poona Express	19 24	8 05
Allahabad Express	20 15	7 00

B. B. & C. I. Railway

Time-table in force from 1st October, 1938.

Arrival at and Departures from Bombay Central.

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Ahmedabad Passenger	5 35	13.50
Delhi Express	6 0	22 15
Gujarat Mail	6 45	22 00
Kathiawar Mail	7 25	21 30
Frontier Mail	8 15 (Mon)	21 15 (Sat)
*The Flying Ranee Surat	9 48	15 10
The Flying Ranee, Surat	10 58	18 05
Ahmedabad Passenger	14 15	22 30
Kathiawar Express	18 45	8 45
Baroda Passenger	20 33	9 25

*If Monday is a Bank Holiday, this train will run on Tuesday.

AIR MAIL TIMINGS

ARRIVALS AT BALLARD PIER.

	Arr.
Frontier Mail (On Saturdays only for Homeward Passengers)	8 40

The following air mail time table is in force in Bombay:—

LONDON—BOMBAY (Juhu).

Planes call at Karachi, Bhuj, and Ahmedabad.

Arrivals at Juhu: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday at 1 p.m.

Delivery: Monday (two deliveries) 8 a.m. and 3-30 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday 3-30 p.m.

BOMBAY (Juhu)—LONDON.

Planes call at Ahmedabad, Bhuj and Karachi.

Latest hours of posting at the G. P. O.:—Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 7-30 a.m. Departure from Juhu 10-15 a.m.

BOMBAY (Juhu)—Colombo.

Planes call at Hyderabad, Madras and Trichinopoly

Latest hours of posting at the G. P. nesday and Saturday 11-30 a.m. Depar- O.:—Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wedture from Juhu 1-30 p.m.

COLOMBO—BOMBAY (Juhu).

Arrivals at Juhu: Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 9-45 a.m. Delivery, Sunday 12-30 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1 p.m

BOMBAY (via Calcutta)—SINGAPORE and AUSTRALIA.

Latest hour of posting:—Sunday, Monday and Friday 6-30 p.m.

AUSTRALIA—BOMBAY (via Calcutta)

Delivery:—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 11 a.m.

BOMBAY (via Calcutta)—HONGKONG CHINA AND JAPAN.

Latest hour of posting:—Monday and Friday 6-30 p.m.

HONGKONG—BOMBAY (via Calcutta)

Delivery:—Tuesday and Saturday 11 a.m.

BOMBAY—KATHIAWAR.

Planes call at Bhavnagar, Rajkot, Jamnagar and Porebunder.

Departures from Juhu: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 7-15 a.m.

Arrivals:—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 6 p.m.

AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Friday

The Bombay Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death to-day, at the inquest on the body of a seven-year old girl who died of injuries on way to Hospital yesterday.

It appears that the girl was knocked down by a motor car yesterday at Sandhurst Road, while crossing the road.

Seventeen persons alleged to be gamblers were arrested by the city police last night on a charge of "Sutta Gambling".

All the accused persons were put up before Mr. Barot, Presidency Magistrate, this morning, at Mazagaon Court, when they were ordered to be released on bail.

Mahadeorao Daulat was arrested by the Byculla Police last night, on a charge of assaulting a man, with the result, the man had to be treated in the J. J. Hospital.

The accused was placed before the Mazgaon Court Magistrate this morning, and was ordered to be released on bail till the 16th instant.

Fined For Rash Driving

"Horse separated from the victoria: the vehicle was thrown about the road in scattered fragments, and its wheels were entirely smashed; the driver lay on the footpath helpless, and its passenger, an A. D. C. to the Maharaja of Porbundar, also on the foot path suffering multiple injuries."

This was how Nasir Nuri, a victoria driver, described a motor-victoria collision which took place on the night of November 23, at Wodehouse Road, Colaba, giving evidence to-day before the Presidency Magistrate, Third Court.

The accused, Mr. R. B. Freer, of the Julius Gore Stables at Worli, stands charged with rash and negligent driving resulting in hurt to a victoria driver and to Captain Pratasingh Jethaji, an A. D. C. to the Maharaja of Porbunder.

Mr. R. P. Thanawala, outlining the case for the prosecution, stated that a victoria carrying Captain P. Jethaji was going along Wodehouse Road on Nov. 23 at about 11 p.m. When the victoria was on top of Wodehouse Road Bridge, the accused's car, coming from behind, suddenly dashed against the victoria. The victoria was smashed, its wheels were broken to pieces, the victoria driver fell down and the passenger was thrown on the pavement. A constable on duty at the end of the bridge, on hearing the noise of the collision, hurried to the scene and removed the driver and the passenger to the G. T. Hospital.

A few minutes prior to this, the police prosecutor stated, the accused's car dashed against a taxi near the C. J. Hall, and smashed its number plate.

Nasir Nurie, victoria driver, in his evidence, stated that he was driving his victoria on the right side of the road when the collision took place. As a result of the impact, witness and the passenger were thrown out and he was helped by a policeman. He received injuries on his back. The horse was separated from the victoria, and its wheels were broken to pieces and the victoria was lying aslant on the road.

The accused was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 75.

Accused pleaded not guilty.

Alleged Criminal Breach Of Trust

Mr. K. J. Khambata Presidency Magistrate, Girgaon Court, sentenced one Ratilal Kachrabhai, an employee of the Bombay Metal Exchange Association, to 3 months' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 1,000 when he was produced on a charge of criminal breach of trust and misappropriation to the extent of Rs. 6,311-11-3. The accused pleaded guilty.

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Baldeo 'alias' Laxminarayan was sentenced to undergo one month's rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 100 by Mr. K. J. Kambata, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court on a charge of causing grievous hurt.

Alleged Misappropriation

The case in which Mrs. Winifred McQuillan charged the accused Mr. Kenneth Blewitt with misappropriation of certain goods came up to-day before Mr. Kantilal C. Thakore, Additional Presidency Magistrate, Dadar. The complainant produced in court the articles alleged to have been withheld from delivery Mr. Yusuf Abdulla defending the accused stated that the prosecution was intended to ruin the business of his client, while Mr. Selyure requested the Court for an adjournment as he had no material on hand to prove the actual ownership of the articles. The case is accordingly adjourned to the 8th inst. and the articles were allowed to be kept with Mr. Blewitt.

DeLisle Road Arrests

On charges of rioting and causing grievous hurt, five men were arrested by the DeLisle Road Police and were produced before the Presidency Magistrate, Dadar, to-day. They were released on a bail of Rs. 500 and a cash deposit of Rs. 200.

Taxi Driver Bailed Out

A taxi-driver, Sheik Sarujuddin was charged with rash and negligent driving when a cyclist proceeding along Gokhale Road received serious injuries in a sudden collision of the car against the cyclist. The accused was released on bail to-day by the Presidency Magistrate, Dadar, till the 16th instant.

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Lowtide: 1-37 14-29
Sunrise: 6h 56m
Sunset: 6h 0m
Pentangular Cricket Tournament, Brabourne Stadium, 10-30 a.m.
Public meeting to mourn the death of Maulana Shaukat Ali, Congress House 6-30 p.m.
S. S. Strathallan with mails due to sail at 1 p.m.
Bombay Races: X'mas Meeting, Second Day.
Haj Committee, 5 p.m. at Head Police Office.

Domestic Occurrence

BIRTH

SHETTY—On the 2nd December, at Padubidri, Udipi, to Kitty, wife of Mr. S. N. Shetty, President, Kanara Students' Union, a son.

POSTAL NOTICE

Parcels for Germany for despatch by German steamer s.s. 'Treuenfels' will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 3 p.m. to-day (Saturday).

Registered and unregistered packet mails and superscribed registered and unregistered letters and postcards for Mauritius and all correspondence for Reunion per extra s.s. 'Winkfield' via Madura and Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 3 p.m. on Saturday, the 3rd and 9 a.m. on Sunday, the 4th instant respectively.

BASIC ENGLISH

The Study Circle will meet at Blavatsky Lodge, French Bridge, to-morrow (Sunday) at 9 a.m.

"REMEDIES OF POVERTY"

A discussion meeting open to the public on the subject, "Remedies of India's poverty" will be held under the auspices of the Youths' Parliament, at the Youth Lodge, T. S., Blavatsky Lodge, Chowpatty, at 6-15 p.m. to-day (Saturday).

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We have received a wall calendar for 1939 from Nippon Yusen Kaisya, Bombay.

YOUNG GOAN'S SOCIAL GATHERING

The first annual social gathering of the Young Goan's Sports Club will be held to-day (Saturday) at the I. L. I. Hall, Dabul, commencing from 8 p.m.

YAKSHAGANA PERFORMANCE

A public Yakshagana performance of the Pauranic play "Ratnavali Kalyana" in Kanarese will be staged by the company of a actors of the Katil Sri Durgaparameshwari Prasadik Karnataka Yakshagana Nartana Sabha, under the leadership of Sriman Balipa Narayana Bhagawata, in the Mangrol Hall, near the new Fire Brigade Building, Fort, commencing at 8 p.m. to-night.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

BROADWAY—"Slave Ship". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Rascals". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CENTRAL—"My Son". Daily at 5, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"The Marcus Show". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EDWARD—"Flash Gordon's Trip to Mars". Daily at 5, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2 p.m.
EROS—"The Mad Miss Manton". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Postman". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Poornima". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.
METRO—"Marie Antoinette". Daily at 3, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
MINERVA—"Street Singer". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Bramhachari". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-15 p.m.
NEW EMPIRE—"Strange Boarders". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Industrial India". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee to-day and to-morrow at 2-15 p.m.
PLAZA—"Gopal Krishna". Daily at 5, 7-45 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-15 p.m.
PATHE—"Woman Against Woman". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m. To-morrow morning show at 10 a.m.
REGAL—"Valley of the Giants". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Adhikar". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m
SUPER—"Double Cross". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.
WELLINGTON—"Mad About Music". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

S. I. ASSOCIATION

There will be a musical entertainment by Srimathi Bhageerathi Ammal of Malabar, accompanied by Master Sankaran on Violin and Mr. V. A. Money Iyer on Mridangam to-day (Saturday) at 8-30 p.m. (S. T.) in the Nappoo Hall.

GOLD AND SILVER WORKERS' UNION

A general meeting of the members of the Gold and Silver Workers' Union will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9-30 p.m. (S.T.) in the office of the Union at C. P. Tank, Paralkar Building to elect delegates on the Electoral College for the Corporation elections.

"SUPERVISOR SYSTEM"

Under the auspices of the Institute of Education, Ghatkopar, Mr. R. S. Ghorpade, Supervisor, N. M. V. High School, Poona, will speak on "Supervisor System in the N. M. V. High School, Poona" at the Ramnarain Ruia College, Matunga, Hall No. 5, to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m.

RADIO CRICKET COMMENTARY

All India Radio, Bombay, will broadcast a full running commentary by Mr. A. F. S. Talyarkhan on the finals of the Bombay Cricket Pentangular Tournament from to-day (Saturday) onwards, from 10-30 in the morning to 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and then again from 2 o'clock in the afternoon to 5-15 p.m.

The commentary will be both on short and medium wave on all days of the tournament except between 3-30 and 4-30 p.m. on Monday, the 4th instant when it will be on medium wave only.

LATE MAULANA SHAUKAT ALI

Bombay Citizens' Condolence Meeting at Congress House To-day

Under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee a public meeting of the citizens of Bombay will be held to-day (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m., (S. T.), in the open compound of the Congress House, (Vithalbhai Patel Road, Bombay No. 4), to pay tribute to the memory of the late Maulana Shaukat Ali. Messrs. S. A. Brelvi, M. C. Chagla, Jamnadas Dwarkadas and others will address the meeting.

LATE SHAUKAT ALI

A public condolence meeting under the auspices of the Primary Muslim League No. 6, District 'E' Ward will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9-30 p.m. (S.T.) at 3rd, Sankli Street, Madanpura to commemorate the sad demise of Maulana Shaukat Ali. Mrs. Shaji Tyebji will preside.

A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Muslim Social Workers' Association, held at its premises on Tuesday last. Mr. Abbasali Hidayatullah presiding, expressed its sorrow at the death of Maulana Shaukat Ali.

GANDHIAN PHILOSOPHY

Under the auspices of the above Association, Mr. K. K. Panikkar will deliver a lecture on "Critical Analysis of Gandhian Philosophy" to-day (Saturday) at 8-30 p.m. in the Association premises.

INDIAN MUSIC CIRCLE

The monthly concert will be held at Laxmi Baug, New Bhatwadi, Sandhurst Road, Bombay, at 9-30 p.m. (S.T.) when Bai Gangubai of Hubli will entertain the members with Vocal Music.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

Prakash Karyalaya begs to announce that pleasure cruise 'Jayluxmi' chartered for moonlight trip of 3 hours for Sunday, 4th December will leave from Gateway, Apollo Bunder at 7-30 p.m. (S.T.). Those desirous of joining are requested to get their tickets from the Karyalaya (Gaya Building, Masjid Bunder Road, Mandvi) or at the Apollo Bunder on payment.

"RAJAYOGA"

Swami Sambuddhananda of Sri Ramkrishna Ashram, Khar, will deliver a public lecture on "Control of Pschic-Prana" (Awakening of Kundalini) at Ratliboi's Commercial College, Prescott Road, Fort, to-day (Saturday) at 3-30 p.m.

OFFICIAL AND PERSONAL

Major-General E. W. C. Bradfield, Lt.-Colonel and Mrs. R. W. Braide, Lt.-Colonel B. Higham and Lieut. A. Chakraverti lunched at Government House on Friday.

Lady Lumley opened a Sale of Work in aid of the Cathedral Funds at the Cathedral Girls High School, on Friday.

The Governor of Bombay opened the new Hostel for Students of the Grant Medical College on Friday.

ADULT EDUCATION

The Rev. Fr. Dubr and Mr. Marathe will meet their students in Italian and Radio Communication in St. Xavier's College and Wilson College to-day (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. and 3-30 p.m.

ST. PETER'S SOCIETY

The general meeting of the Society of St. Peter for education of Anglo-Indian boys will be held to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. in the Nicholson Hall, St. Peter's Church Compound, Mazagaon, when H. E. the Governor will preside and Lady Lumley will distribute prizes to the St. Peter's Hostel boys.

Protest Against Exclusion Of Nariman

A public meeting was held at the Blavatsky Lodge, on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Bombay Citizen's Committee to protest against the exclusion of Mr. K. F. Nariman, from the Municipal Elections as a Congress candidate. Mr. B. F. Bharucha presided.

Two resolutions criticising the action of the B. P. C. C. were moved and passed.

Mr. Bharucha said that Gandhiji, was great, but truth was greater. The Saint of Sabarmati did not have access to enough material evidence on the Nariman issue as he was overwhelmed with work. If he had he would have been more sympathetic to Mr. K. F. Nariman.

Candidates For Corporation

K. H. GOREGAOKEE

Mr. K. H. Goregaoker is seeking re-election at the ensuing Municipal election from 'D' Ward, Division II, Ward No. 9 as an Independent candidate.

S. G. KENI

Mr. Sakharam G. Keni, intends to stand for election to the Bombay Municipal Corporation from 'F' Ward (Dadar Matunga and Sion) XVI. (16).

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND SOCIOLOGY

The Students' Union, School of Economics and Sociology, University of Bombay, proposes to conduct a moonlight excursion on Thursday, 8th instant in the s.s. 'Jaya Laxmi'. Refreshments and entertainment. One non-member guest free for the members, past as well as present. See the Hon. Secretary in the School premises during 4-30 to 5-30.

CONCERT FOR DATTA JAYANTI UTSAVA

Miss Roshnara Begum And Mr. Ganpat Rao Behere

There will be a concert of vocal music in which Mr. Ganpat Rao Behere and Miss Roshnara Begum, both eminent disciples of the late Abdul Karim Khan will sing at the Brahman Sabha Karandikar Hall to-day (Saturday) at 9-30 p.m. Mr. Lakhmidas Rowji Tairsee will preside on the occasion. The proceeds are to be devoted to the celebration of the Datta Jayanti Utsav of Jagannath's Chawl, Phanaswadi, where passes for entrance will be available.

GALA FUNCTION AT ST. XAVIER'S

In Aid Of Anti-Tuberculosis Fund

To-day (Saturday), the St. Xavier's College is going to have a gala function in aid of King-Emperor's Anti-Tuberculosis Fund. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Lumley will be the chief guests on the occasion. A prominent Old Xavierite, Dr. M. D. D. Gilder is at the head of this movement. The Dramatic Club of the College will stage selected scenes from Bernard Shaw's "Joan of Arc" and Sullivan's "Cox and Box." Tickets for this are on sale with the boy and girl volunteers of the College. Larger amounts might be sent to the Principal directly.

GITA JAYANTI

Gita Jayanti will be observed at Madhav Baug, to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.), when Messrs. Rama Pati Misra, Manubhai Pandya, Vrajlal Vora, Jamnadas Shanghvi and others will speak on 'Gita.'

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COMPROMISE OR CRISIS?

As the crisis over the Income-tax Bill is still impending, it is necessary that the main issues involved therein should be clearly understood. The Viceroy having disallowed all amendments to clause 53 of the Income-tax Bill, giving an unfair advantage to foreign interests in India by way of double tax relief, the Opposition is now concentrating its attention on clause 4. This clause, as we have pointed out before, has two objectionable features. One is that it taxes an Indian's income earned abroad on the accrual and not the remittance basis. That is, the income is taxed if only it accrues even if it is not remitted to India. This is obviously a blow to Indian enterprise abroad. The second objectionable feature is that here, too, there is discrimination in favour of foreigners in India. For whereas the total foreign income of an Indian is to be taxed, only that part of the foreign resident's income will be taxed which arises from business or profession and also that part of any other income which is actually brought into British India. But amendments to drop this discrimination against Indians were also disallowed by the Viceroy and the Opposition had no other alternative than to press the amendment deleting the whole of clause 4. On the other hand the Finance Member had openly held out the threat that if clause 4 were to be substantially amended, he would withdraw the Bill.

Finance Member's Dilemma

The sharp conflict threatened a first class crisis when even the European Group sprang a surprise on all and particularly the Finance Member by disapproving of discrimination in favour of non-Indians. This move on the part of Europeans was probably due to their fear of serious reactions among Indians to the Viceroy's disallowing all amendments against discrimination in favour of non-Indians. Whatever their motive, their unexpected move completely non-plussed the Finance Member. Indeed he did not know what to do next. In the first place there was some doubt if the removal of discrimination could be considered in face of the Viceroy's disallowing amendments to that effect. For Government to move an amendment even modifying the discrimination was humiliating. Moreover, what precisely could the Finance Member do? If to remove discrimination in clause 4 he were to exempt both Indians and non-Indians from taxation on the accrual basis, as the Europeans want him to do, he would lose many lakhs at a stroke; and he is not yet prepared to accept the loss. If on the other hand he were to tax all on the accrual basis, both Indians and Europeans would show short shrift to clause 4; and if the Finance Member is as good as his word, he may himself kill the Bill. The position is still being considered by him in consultation with party leaders.

A Fair Compromise

We shall not speculate on the possible conclusions of the conference. But a fair compromise is quite possible with regard to clause 4. And if one is brought about it may conceivably be extended to clause 53. The essential basis of fair compromise is that discrimination must go, the Europeans themselves being prepared to forego it. As regards the choice between taxing both Indians and non-Indians alike on the accrual basis and dropping this basis altogether, the latter will mean a loss of nearly a crore to Government; and if those that can pay are exempted indiscriminately, Government will in one way or other, tax those who cannot pay. Moreover, the accrual basis is not inherently bad. It can be made at least tolerable—so far as any tax can be tolerable—if the interests of smaller businessman are duly safeguarded. Thus removal of discrimination and a modification of the accrual basis so as to safeguard the interests of numerous Indian small scale businessmen abroad may be the features of a workable compromise. Such a compromise, besides, will not be unacceptable to the Finance Member, who has set his heart on the accrual basis and the lakhs he expects from it. It may be more than what the Europeans bargained for, but it is in agreement with the principle of non-discrimination which they have rightly approved. The alternative to such or a similar a compromise may be a serious crisis.

Wanted An Apology

Time was when France was regarded as a true and unfailing home of liberty. Under M. Daladier, who has proved himself to be an apt pupil of Hitler, that enviable reputation of the country is being tarnished. In Germany and Italy, where the Press is a docile instrument of Government propaganda, even independent foreign journalists are not tolerated. M. Daladier is evidently determined to follow Hitler and Mussolini in this respect as is evident from the arrest and deportation, under the orders of the Minister of the Interior and without assigning any reasons, of Mr. Sunder Kabadi, the representative of the "Bombay Chronicle" and another Indian journalist, from France. Mr. Kabadi's offence was that in his messages to "The Chronicle" he dared to tell the truth about the situation in France. We must strongly protest against the treatment that the French Government has meted out to the two Indian journalists who merely carried out their professional duties in an honest and independent manner and we trust Indian representatives in the Central Legislative Assembly will also record their protest and ask the Government of India to move the British Government so that the latter may take necessary diplomatic action in the matter. The present British Government can hardly be expected to ask the French Government to express regret for the indefensible action taken by them against the Indian journalists. But this is the least that they should do in fairness to the latter.

Sound Decision

The Federal Court's unanimous decision that the Central Provinces Act to levy a sales tax on petrol is not 'ultra vires' of the local legislature is of great interest to all Provincial Governments. For if the decision were otherwise, it would have meant a serious curtailment of the already limited taxing powers of Provincial Governments. The Federal Judges hold that, while the Government of India alone have the right to levy an excise duty on the manufacture of goods in India, the Provincial Governments are free to tax the retail sales of these goods. We think this is a fair view, besides being in accordance with the law governing the case. In the absence of the right conceded to the Provincial Governments by the Judges, there would be no meaning in the admitted right of these Governments to tax sales under item 48 of the Provincial List of permissible taxes.

The Migrating Jews

Their Distribution In The World

By Raman Vasa, D. Litt (Paris)

I.

The relentless drive organised against the Jewish populace in Germany to-day has been a subject of growing international anxiety and pre-occupation all the world over. It has created problems in the international politics of several important States. A survey of the Jewish population of the world should be an interesting study at this juncture. It will be our concern to find what place the Jewish race occupies in different countries of the world to-day and how it spread there.

World's Jewish Population

The initial strength of the Jewish population all the world over is 17 million which means 0.8 per cent of the world's total population. Of these 17 million, 10 million of Jews reside in Europe, 5 million in America, 1 million in Asia, 870000 in Africa and 30,000 in Oceania. (For the statistics, I am obliged to Wirtschaftund Statisk, and to Ruppin).

The geographical distribution of the Jewish population has changed considerably during the last sixty years. An extremely significant phenomenon in the domain of the world's economic history has happened, and it is the Jewish emigration to the American continent. The difference of magnitude in the movement of Jewish emigration in Asia and Africa is negligible, and is almost nothing in Oceania, but it is quite the reverse in Europe and America. In 1880 almost all the Jews of our globe, nearly nine-tenths, were found living in Europe. In America their population then was hardly more than 3 per cent. In 1900, the Jews in Europe were not more than 82 per cent, while in America the figure rose to 11 per cent. On the eve of the Great World War the Jewish population of the world was distributed as below:—

In Europe—9000,000 or 74.87 per cent.

America—21,10,000, or 17.66 per cent.

Asia—500,000 or 4.16 per cent.

Africa—380,000 or 3.17 per cent.

Australia—17,000 or 0.14 per cent.

To-day 30 per cent. of our Jews are in America, and the percentage of the Jewish people in Europe has come down approximately to 60.

Migration: Its Causes in General

Naturally, one begins to inquire into the cause of the Jewish exodus towards America. It has for its cause the social, political and the consequent economic disabilities that the sons of Israel suffered through the social discrimination that has been practised in all European countries till the dawn of our present century. It must be avowed and that too with no little shame, that during the last 1800 years almost all the European countries have treated their Jewish inhabitants in a manner and spirit that was unchristlike. This treatment has uniformly been one devoid of justice and equity. They have been treated by the nations among which they lived, as aliens, and in some countries as even beyond the law.

Disabilities

A glance at the history of European legislation concerning the Jews makes it evident that comparatively few of the Jews have had human rights for more than one hundred years ago; the majority of those who are politically free have enjoyed the freedom from between two or three generations, while more than one half the total number of the Jews in the world, a couple of years before the Great World War, was about the same position from the civil and political standpoint as their grandfathers, during the Middle-Ages. Even as late as 1911, of the 12,000,000 Jews, in Russia 5,500,000 were segregated in a Ghetto in the Russian Pale of settlement which did not materially differ from the Mediaeval Ghetto in Prague, Rome or Venice. There, they were exposed to frequent attacks on their lives and property, as well as to expulsion from the country.

Emancipation

It was in the bosom of the territory which was soon to become the United States of America, where for the first time since their dispersion among the Western nations, the Jews were placed on a basis of absolute equality, with people of other creeds. Roger Williams founding Rhode Island, welcomed the Jews with the same warmth as the Christians.

The first admission of the Jews to citizenship was accomplished in France, September 27th 1791. This was the first act of emancipation of the Jews in Europe and was

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OUR LONDON LETTER

Rumania To Resist Nazi Demands

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 17.

On Tuesday King Carol arrived in this country with his son and has since been given a right royal welcome all over the country. He has not only been received at Buckingham Palace as a ruling monarch but as one of the family as well. The relationship is not distant. Queen Marie, his mother, was cousin to King George V. He is a great-grandson of Queen Victoria and grandson of the Duke of Edinburgh. But apart from this family connection the Rumanian King is being introduced by the press as a monarch with good intentions. It is being recalled, (at a time when anti-Jewish barbarities are at their height in Germany), in political circles that a year ago he curbed the anti-Jewish movement in his land. His dictatorial rule is also being excused on the ground that he brought about a royal dictatorship to prevent a more severe one by the Iron Guard.

Carol's Reply

There is no denying the fact that the visit of King Carol is much more than a ceremonial occasion. It vitally concerns European as well as world politics. The main object of the British Government in inviting King Carol to be their guest has been to confront him with decisions reached "in the light of the position following the Munich Agreement." Mr. Chamberlain expects to reach a new agreement with Germany in relation to Rumania. The hope is that although the political and strategic control of the country would by such agreement pass definitely under the domination of the German Empire, financial arrangements regarding the profits to be got for the time being from the oil wells may be satisfactorily made. Yesterday Mr. Chamberlain had his first conversations with the foreign monarch on politics and trade as far as they concern Britain and Rumania. Obviously King Carol is aware that since the new Czechoslovakia can live only on German sufferance, the Reich now extends to the Rumanian frontier. Rumania has been a principal victim of German penetration, political and economic, during recent years. By astute propaganda, a considerable hold has been established over that country. King Carol has also made it plain that as a constitutional monarch, with an heir to the throne, he will resist being forced into a position of vassalage to any one Great Power. Although half-German he is determined to maintain his country's political independence in face of the German drive in the Balkans, and also to develop Rumania's natural resources.

British Loan To Rumania

Therefore to reinforce his country's position King Carol is anxious to develop trade with the countries still having open economics. He is also anxious to avoid his armed forces becoming wholly dependent for arms and aid in training, on one Power. How far the British Government will decide to fall in with Rumania's urgent desire for assistance in maintaining a measure of independence from German economic and military domination will depend very largely on the force with which King Carol is able personally to present his case. But I am told that in the City final details of a £15,000,000 Rumanian development loan or credit are being arranged. Simultaneously steps are being taken to settle the differences which have existed for some time between British and Rumanian oil concerns. It is thought that the loan will take the form of a credit for Rumania rather than a loan. With that credit Rumania will purchase British machinery and manufactured goods. At the same time lately the British Government has purchased about half of the wheat surplus of Rumania.

Pirow's Visit

The outcome of King Carol's visit to London will be rivalled in interest by his subsequent visit to Reich's Chancellor, Adolf Hitler, in Berlin. Although he will visit the Reich on an invitation from his cousin, Prince Frederick of Hohenzollern, it is understood that he will hear proposals to buy German aeroplanes for the Rumanian air force. Germany's interest in the Rumanian oil and wheat is expected to come up too. Meanwhile Berlin has extended a warm welcome to Mr. Oswald Pirow, South African Minister of Defence who was until recently in London. During his sixteen days' stay in London it has been no secret that Mr. Pirow has been discussing with British Ministers a plan for meeting the Nazis' colonial demands, earlier discussed in Lisbon and Kenya. According to one source which has published the details of this plan in a fashion sinisterly similar to that in which the "Times" revealed the intentions of the Government to hand Sudetenland to Hitler the Pirow plan is designed to give Germany Colonies and big economic benefits in Africa. The old German Colonies in Africa—South-West Africa, Tenganyika, the Cameroons and Togoland—would, Mr. Pirow argues, be "more trouble to Germany than they are worth. "He has, therefore, proposed that Hitler should accept new Colonies on the West Coast—a bit of the Cameroons, a bit of Portuguese Angola and a bit of the Belgian Congo. Mr. Pirow has also an economic scheme whereby Germany could obtain raw materials from a common colonial pool administered jointly by an international board representative of all European countries interested in Africa, including Germany.

South Africa's Opposition

Of course, althoug Mr. Pirow is a 'persona grata' with Mr. Chamberlain and the three other members of his Inner Cabinet, the patriotic group of the Conservative Party is not prepared to welcome his mediations in the Colonial discussion. This group is being back up by a large number of South African people who have already launched a countryside

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

AN ITALIAN BOMBSHELL

It was a veritable bombshell which the Fascists burst in the Italian Chamber with their cries of "Tunis, Corsica, Nice." This has naturally annoyed and alarmed the French. The demonstration, of course, could not have taken place without official consent and even initiative. It is, therefore, a kind of significant hint to France by Il Duce. Demands in relation to Tunis are not new. They have been revived—and strengthened dramatically with the addition not only of Corsica but even of Nice—not so much for being satisfied but for blackmailing France and smoothing the mission of Mr. Chamberlain. The demonstration is intended primarily to break French resistance to Italian aims in Spain and in the Balearics. Mr. Chamberlain, of course, will do nothing of the kind suggested by "Pertinax". And one cannot help noting in this connection that the troubles facing and threatening France are due in a large measure to the weakness of her own statesmen.

SUICIDAL MADNESS

If the French General Strike was not a success it was most certainly not a failure either. But whatever it was, the sequel gives cause for serious alarm. It is provoking a grave crisis for the country. The French Government seem to have lost their sense both of reason and proportion. They are resorting to methods of vindictiveness which is the very last temptation to which they should have yielded. They had it in their power to remove all bitterness arising out of the strike if not of the decrees. Instead they are seeking to punish the strikers and their respected leaders. Such lack of imagination is amazing. That M. Daladier has definitely widened the gulf between himself and the Left is tragically obvious. He is playing into the hands of Fascism. Is he doing so deliberately or unconsciously? If the action he is taking is calculated, then heaven help France and, with her, the rest of Europe.

BRITAIN PROTESTS

Mr. Hudson's outburst in the House of Commons,—an unusual event for a responsible Minister to be so outspoken—is not unjustified by facts. The Nazi trade drive based primarily on his blocked marks scheme has captured many a market at the expense of the victims and those who held these markets formerly The Balkans passed into German economic hegemony under the very eyes of France and particularly Britain. A counter-drive by Britain met with some success in Turkey, thanks mainly to Ataturk and his Government. Elsewhere—not only in the Balkans but among Germany's Western neighbours also—it failed. Britain has been steadily losing which was bad enough. The struggle for Rumanian wheat and oil has brought matters now to a head. And we witness the entertaining spectacle of shrieks being sent up not only by the British Government but even by that section of the British Press which always supported and championed the Nazis. How the verbal exchanges between London and Berlin will develop and what shape they would ultimately take it is yet to early to discuss. In the meantime, however, one thing must be noted. When the commercial pocket of Britain is touched "realism" and "appeasement" are all summarily dismissed.

ADMIRABLE MOVE

Where Britain and France failed Russia is making a bold, courageous and admirable attempt to succeed. She is working for the establishment of a system of Collective Security against the ever-growing German—and Italian—menace in East and South East Europe. The ground is ready for the accomplishment of such a task. It is easy and, paradoxically enough, it is very difficult too. It is easy because all the countries concerned are only too aware of the danger that is confronting them. The Russo-Polish Pact, Government activities in Rumania and recent meeting of the Balkan Entente General Staffs are eloquent of this fact. But the task is difficult because the States concerned are afraid of—the so-called "Democracies" in Britain and France. They do not know what attitude these latter will adopt in case of a crisis.

COALITION CABINETS IN INDIA

In a small article contributed to the current number of "Triveni" Mr. P. Rajeswara Rao examines the advantages and disadvantages of coalition cabinets. The article is of particular interest now because of the recent events in Sind and Assam and the speculations about a coalition ministry in Bengal under Congress hegemony. Mr. Rao points out that the Punjab Coalition Ministry, although heir to all weaknesses of such combination, is fairly well established, but, as a rule, coalitions are good only when a *status quo* is to be maintained. When any programme is to be vigorously carried out, a Government with an unchallengeable majority as obtains in Bombay and more conspicuously in Madras is the most suitable arrangement. When broad issues of policy are settled on the basis of fixed political and economic principles, a majority party's rule in a representative institution is the only possible and right thing to have.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Uneasy lies the face that wears a frown.

A weak-minded man is usually the most headstrong.

The man who knows the least is always in the biggest hurry to tell it.

Cows are now milked by machinery, but the milk is watered by hand, as usual.

It is useless for a self-made man to waste money in taking out a patent on his creation.

Some women get red in the face from modesty, some from anger and others from the druggist.

WITHOUT COMMENT

"His Highness the President in his concluding remarks welcomed the 'miracle' under which they had emerged from the conference as a united team . . . ."

—Communique of the Secretary to the Chamber of Princes.

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Certain Arab Sheikhs of Palestine have paid a tribute to Britain's work in that country and have declared their conviction that the Grand Mufti is the villain responsible for the whole trouble.

This reminds us of our own Bardwans, Lalkakas, Pirpurs, etc. during the Civil Disobedience days.

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"What is 'Inquilab Zindabad' which you are so frequently shouting?", Mrs. Naidu is reported to have asked in a speech to Cuttack students.

One answer, as suggested by a Frontier Pathan jirga, is that he is a very eminent leader who is being unjustly kept imprisoned by British Imperialism.

And it's a good and satisfactory enough answer.

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The no-confidence motion against the Assam Ministry was not moved due to "certain defects" one of them being that "the number of members of the Cabinet when formed was five while it now stands at eight."

What is actually meant is, is it not?—that they number of supporters was supposed to be 50 while it now stands at 52.

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Sir Md. Saadullah informed the House, however, that the Opposition might move a fresh motion later.

In the meantime he will, it is understood, pray for the removal of the numerical "defects" with all the earnestness and energy of which he and the Europeans are capable.

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New Delhi contradicts reports of Sir M. Zafrullah Khan being appointed to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. He will, we are informed, complete his usual term as member of the Government of India.

How interesting! That is to say, we are not interested.

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'Pertinax' asks, apropos of the anti-French demonstration in the Italian Chamber, "will Mr. Chamberlain, after what has just happened, consider it opportune to visit Rome in January?"

As a matter of fact, what has just happened has further re-inforced the opportunism, sorry, the opportune-ness of his proposed visit.

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The Press, says a Berlin message, hands out many bouquets over the breaking of the French strike.

We hope that completes the happiness of Mm Daladier and Bonnet.

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There is in existence in Cawnpore a "Bekar Sabha" we note.

We hope it IS an Unemployed Workers' Union and not a Useless Association.

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Khaddar, declared Mrs. Naidu at Vizagapatam, must be first charge on Indian womanhood.

Amen!, declares poor mere man.

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A TEATIME THOUGHT

"Epicureans may praise energy as they will, but there is a strong moral case to be made out for "inter alia" . . . . Energetic men in public life are as potentially dangerous as bombs."

—"Y. Y."

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At an impending by-election to the Bihar Assembly "Khan Bahadur Mahmud is the League candidate while Mr. Abdur Razak is the Congress nominee."

It is understood that in the absence of any knight the Khan Bahadur was accepted as the most eligible candidate.

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He had plunged into marriage for the second time.

A few months had passed. Meeting an old friend he was asked: 'Has your present wife a more even temper than your first one had?'

'More even? I should say not. Even more, he replied with emphasis.

'VANDE MATARAM' BAN SEQUEL

100 Students On Hungerstrike In Warangal: Women's College Students To Observe Hartal

Princes Protection Act At Work

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

HYDERABAD (Dn.) Dec. 2.

Little time has been lost since the orders regarding the Princes' Protection Act have been issued for bringing them into force and the report received from Gulbarga last night says that the Railway Police at the above station effected the arrest of Senapathi Bapat and his batch of 22 volunteers who were bound for Hyderabad and detained them. Whether they have been sent back to Poona or are being prosecuted is not known. However, it is generally believed that prosecution is more likely under the above Act.

Strict vigilance is being kept by Railway Police at all the frontier stations, including Gulbarga, Raichur, Dronachellam, Khammam and Asifabad to check the ingress of British Indians, who in their sympathy for the subjects of Hyderabad voluntarily come forward to join the movement.

STUDENTS' REJOINDER

Singing Of "Vande Mataram" Has Nothing To Do With Politics

(From Our Correspondent).

HYDERABAD, (Dn.) Dec. 2.

The Government Communique, has been emphatically repudiated in a statement issued this morning by the Hindu Students of the Osmania University now on strike. The statement says that they have been singing "Vande Mataram" for the last four years in "I" Hostel and this song used to be sung on occasions of festivals also. They declare that they had no connection whatsoever with external or internal political institutions and their object in disobeying orders had no political basis. Their religious feelings were grievously hurt by the University authorities interfering in their prayers, which were matters between them and the Almighty. They had been obeying all orders with the utmost care and would be still doing so, provided the authorities also saw to it that they did not injure their religious sentiments.

At a meeting held last evening the students passed a unanimous resolution condemning the propaganda in certain section of the local Press about their action and request the authorities to contradict false news.

Ban On 'Bandemataram' And Its Sequel: More Colleges To Join Strike

(From Our Correspondent)

HYDERABAD (Dn.) Dec. 2.

The song "Bandemataram" is also banned in the Warangal Osmania College.

Hundred students have been on hunger-strike for the last four days and it is understood that the Nizam College and the Osmania University Women's College will observe a sympathetic Hartal to-morrow.

Enquiries in the strikers' headquarters of the Osmania University indicate the formation of a council of action which has already entered into correspondence with the All-India Students' Federation.

The Osmania University College authorities, it is understood are ascertaining the views of the Hindu Professors regarding the nature of the song "Bandemataram", whether religious or political. After obtaining their opinions, the pro-Vice-Chancellor will forward them to the Government.

In the meanwhile, strike fever in the educational institutions is spreading throughout the State.

(From Our Correspondent)

RAJKOT, Dec. 2.

Seven volunteers were beaten to-day while picketing at Darbargadh and were removed to the Parishad Emergency Hospital for treatment.

Rajkot Civic Ultimatum To Durbar

Legality Of Ban On Hotels Questioned: Threat Of Creating Deadlock In Municipality

(From Our Correspondent).

RAJKOT, Dec. 2.

Last night Sir P. Cadell interviewed the Thakore Saheb and it is understood, the Rajkot Ruler was acquainted with the trend of talks the Dewan had with Sardar Patel in Bombay.

Mr. Anantrai Pattani has returned this noon after the Princes and Ministers' meeting at Bombay.

The Maharaja of Bhavnagar left for Rajkot this evening.

CHALLENGE TO DURBAR.

At a special meeting of the Rajkot State Municipality a resolution was passed protesting against the Durbar's ban on Hotels that participated in political activities.

Another resolution was passed threatening to create deadlock in the Municipality if the Durbar attempted to prevent meetings by watering the maidens and choks.

BANNED PAPERS SOLD OPENLY.

The Darbargadh picketing passed off to-day without incident. No arrests were made at a meeting addressed by Miss Maniben Patel and others. The police arrived at the meeting just as it was concluding. The Parishad is arranging the issue of passes to the public going inside the Darbargadh to attend law courts.

Merchants residing in different localities met to-day and have arranged the formation of a night watch in batches to guard against "goondaism" and thefts which are increasing. The banned newspapers were openly auctioned and sold.

Mahatma's Tribute To Rajkot Satyagrahis

RAJKOT, Dec. 2.

Mr. Ranchodlal Patwari, ex-Diwan of Morvi, Palanpur and Gondal States, has received the following letter from Mahatma Gandhi:—

"I am lucky to receive your hand-writing to-day after several years. It is difficult to address you when you tender me 'dandavat.'

"I am glad to hear your ceaseless efforts to achieve my expectations. I never thought that the Rajkot public were presenting a united front single-handed, exhibiting unique solidarity, vain are our impressions. God willing success is positive. If the unfavourable circumstances are reduced to dust, God may bless your services with singular success."—United Press.

"STEAMLINED" INFANTRY FOR U. S.

Defence Requirements May Add Another Set Of Locks To Panama Canal

WASHINGTON, Dec 2.

The War Department has approved of the formation of a new "steamlined" infantry regiment, which will be smaller and far more mobile than the present regiments. It will be completely motorised and armed with semi-automatic rifles heavier and more numerous machineguns and auxiliary weapons. The new regiment will become a major unit in the highspeed mobile army, which is being developed. At full war strength it will have 2411 officers and men compared with 3000 of the present regiments.

PANAMA CANAL

At the same time the War Secretary, Mr. Woodring, reported to the President that National Defence Requirements may hasten the construction of a third and possibly larger set of locks in the Panama Canal.—Reuter.

GAYDA'S BOAST

(Continued from Page 1).

Herr Von Ribbentrop will be the guest of M. Daladier at a luncheon and of M. Bonnet at dinner on Wednesday, there will be a dinner at the German Embassy.

Herr Von Ribbentrop is returning to Germany on Thursday.—Reuter's Special.

"Injustices" To Italy

Other newspapers, including "Corriere Della Sera," refer to Italy's aspirations.

The newspaper "Stampa" writes "there are many injustices toward Italy to repair and many anomalies to set right. For instance, there are the onerous Suez Canal dues. What will be the future function of Jibuti? In the Mediterranean regions, war preparations have arisen with the aim of exporting against us those very geographical circumstances which for centuries have made Italy and those lands share the same destiny."

This paragraph presumably refers to Tunis and its possible use as a French base for an attack on Libya.

Stimulus For United France

PARIS:—The journal "Des Debats" referring to Rome says: "We hope that M. Bonnet has made it sufficiently clear to the new Italian Ambassador so that Rome can understand that the campaign which she has started is doomed to complete failure. The problem raised does not exist for us, since we are determined to keep all that belongs to us. Such campaigns can only unite France and Britain more closely. Alone their resistance to inadmissible claims will maintain peace.

At Bastia Corsica thousands gathered last night to demonstrate their loyalty toward France.—Reuter.

ROME-BERLIN-LONDON AXIS

ROME, Dec. 2.

Political circles here consider that Italy, conscious of German support and made secure by the Anglo-Italian agreement, is anxious to profit from what she holds to be the week-end condition of France.—Reuter's Special.

'CLAIMS UPON FRANCE'

Question To Chamberlain

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Brigadier General Spears on Monday will ask Mr. Chamberlain whether his attention has been called to the demonstration in Italian Chamber demanding Nice, Corsica and Tunis and whether he will make clear to Signor Mussolini that friendly relations between Britain and Italy cannot be developed unless these claims upon France are repudiated by the Italian Government and that the visit of the Prime Minister to Rome will serve no useful purpose if the demands are maintained.—Reuter.

FRENCH PROTEST AGAINST ITALIAN CHAMBER OUTBURST

PARIS, Dec. 2.

Newspapers continue their vigorous protests against the demonstration in the Italian Chamber "Le Journal" says: "M. Bonnet, after conveying to the Italian Ambassador the sentiments of all Frenchmen, has cabled immediately to the French Ambassador in Rome instructing him to make representations with a view to a formal settlement of the incident.—Reuter.

UNIVERSITY FOR MAHARASHTRA

Chandavarkar On Promising Background Of Poona

(From Our Correspondent).

POONA, Dec. 1.

Firm belief that Maharashtra University, which everyone cherished, would soon come into existence was expressed by Mr. V. N. Chandavarkar, Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University, speaking in the Fergusson College this evening.

The occasion for the observation was a tea party arranged by College authorities in commemoration of the College anniversary at which Mr. Chandavarkar was the chief guest of honour.

Mr. Chandavarkar complimented the educationalists who by their selflessness and teamwork had made Poona an educational centre and pioneer not only in this presidency but throughout the country. Proceeding Mr. Chandavarkar said that with its numerous educational institutions Poona provided a very congenial and promising background for the establishment of a University and he hoped the day would not be long when that long cherished Maharashtra University would spring into existence in Poona.

FLOOD HAVOC IN ISTANBUL

ISTANBUL, Dec. 2.

Seventy-four have been drowned and many are missing owing to the flooding of the river Ourfa in Southern Anatolia. Many thousands of cattle have perished. The red crescent is assisting thousands of homeless persons.—Reuter.

AIR LINER CRASHES

VIENNA, Dec. 2.

Four crew and two German passengers were seriously injured when the German Luft-Hansa air liner crashed in flames.

Captain F. S. Wilkins, Assistant Inspector of Accidents, British Air Ministry, who was travelling to Baghdad to investigate the crash of Imperial Airways Liner "Calpurnia" was slightly injured.—Reuter.

COMMITTEE OF VICE-CHAIRMEN MEETS

Report On Prospects Of Settlement Of Jews To Be Discussed

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The Committee of Vice-Chairmen appointed after the Evian Refugee Conference is meeting to-day at the Treasury, London under the presidency of Earl Winterton for the first time since the anti-Jewish riots in Germany for discussing the report of Mr. G. Rubles, permanent Executive Director, who has been making enquiries of various countries as regards the setttlement of Jews.

Mr. Rublees, who is American, intends to approach Germany regarding getting of Jews out of Germany, including the amount of money that they can bring.—Reuter.

NARIMAN TO OPEN RIFLE RANGE

WARDHA, Dec. 2.

Mr. K. F. Nariman will preside over the Craddock High School social gathering, when he will be given a rifle salute. He will also open the rifle range on Sunday next, and a shooting competition will also take place the same afternoon.

This is the only school in India, which has obtained a rifle shooting permit. About fifty boys are undergoing training in the school.—United Press.

GERMAN JOURNAL ANGRY

BERLIN. Dec. 2.

Mr. Hudson's remarks evoke angry comment in the "Allgemeine Zeitung." "Germany's new trade methods were introduced as the result of a situation created by Great Britain.

"New Germany is always ready to come to reasonable understanding in economic as well as political respects with everyone, but the time is past when Ger-

STOP PRESS

JUTE STRIKE GATHERS FORCE.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 2.

The Jute Workers strike situation is gradually assuming serious proportions, as many as ten mills on both sides of the Hooghly having suspended operations with no less than 60,000 workers involved.

The Committee of Action appointed by the Chatkal Majdoor Union opine that by Monday next the number of strikers is likely to swell up to 1,00,000. The strikers continue to be peaceful.—United Press.

AIKMAN DISAPPOINTS GRIGG

Says, He Supports Aney And Rejects Compromise Formula

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

A meeting of uncertainty still persists regarding the fate of Clause four of the Income-tax Bill with which the future of the Bill is bound up Sir James Grigg stated, he did not expect to be ready with his compromise amendment before next week.

It was also significant that two leaders of parties Mr. Aney for Nationalists and Mr. Aikman for Europeans expressed their disagreement with the proposed compromise formula settled at the leaders' meeting. Sir James Grigg was also guarded in his reference to the future stating merely that there was a "possibility" of agreement. Evidently the reaction of the Secretary of State is being awaited. Until the text of Sir James Grigg's amendment is known and discussed again by Sjt. Bhulabhai Desai and Mr. Jinnah, the fate of the Bill will remain uncertain. The latter have agreed to the accrual clause subject to important modifications. On the one hand, there is doubt whether these modifications will be finally conceded and on the other hand, there is also the fear that Whitehall under the influence of European vested interests in London may overrule Sir James Grigg's proposal to delete the discriminatory 'provisos' as the European group appears to be perturbed at the developments following Sir James Grigg's compromise offer.

DELETE CLAUSE 4

During detailed discussion on the Clauses of the Bill, Mr. Aney, submitted that the discussion on the amendment to delete Clause Four of the Bill was adjourned early this week on the assurance of the Finance Member that he would attempt to secure an agreed formula acceptable to the House. But the condition, on which the House had agreed to postpone discussion of the amendment did no longer hold good, because he, at any rate, was not agreeable to the basis of settlement reached at the Conference of Leaders of parties with the Finance Member. He was, therefore, of opinion that the House should now resume discussion on the amendment to delete Clause Four instead of proceeding with the other clauses without knowing the fate of the main Clause.

Sir James Grigg, replying said that he was quite aware of the fact that Mr. Aney was not willing to accept any settlement which did not involve the deletion of Clause Four. This was, however, not the opinion of the leaders of the other parties and he hoped to place before the House by Monday or Tuesday a formula which would be acceptable to the majority in the House.

Mr. Aikman, Leader of the European supported Mr. Aney saying that he also was not in agreement with the terms of the formula.

Mr. Satyamurti: So the cat is out of the bag.—A.P.

Failure Of Strike And After

Mass Dismissals In France

THOUSANDS OF WORKERS VICTIMISED: STRIKE LEADERS TO BE DEPRIVED OF PUBLIC POSTS

Protest Of C. G. T. Against Excessive Reprisals Which Risk Creating Disorders

PARIS: December 2.

DESPITE GENERAL FAILURE OF THE STRIKE, SEVERAL THORNY PROBLEMS HAVE BEEN LEFT FOR DECISION BEFORE THE WORK CAN BE RESUMED EVERYWHERE.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT EMPLOYERS HAVE BEEN ASKED TO SHOW LENIENCY, ESPECIALLY IN CASES WHERE WORKERS WERE LED AWAY BY LEADERS.

It is a vexed question, however, whether the strike may be considered as a rupture of collective contract, entailing dismissal of all workers and their individual re-engagement.

In many cases where this course was adopted, workers replied by demonstrations and managements by lock-outs.

Three thousand workers of the National Aeronautic Works at Toulouse have been hitherto locked out. Two thousand five hundred workers at the former Schneider Works at Havre have been dismissed, also 900 at Briguet Aeroplane Factory.

Of 3,000 workers in various industries in Rouen 1,300 have been dismissed.

Dockers at Lapalisse and seamen at Bordeaux are still striking. Metal-workers' Central Strike Committee have asked authorities to arbitrate in connection with 20,000 of their members still idle.

Government have decided to deprive strike leaders such as M. Jouhaux of their positions with public bodies like the National Railway Company and Government have also announced that state employees who did not respond to the requisition order, will be dismissed or suspended.

The C.G.T. has protested against "excessive reprisals which risk creating disorders", and has called a meeting of the National Committee of the C.G.T. on Monday.

Sanctions taken by Government against strike leaders and strikers followed a three hour meeting between M. Daladier and his principal advisers. They have caused considerable emotion in Socialist and Communist circles and a stormy meeting of the Chamber is forecast on the reassembly of Parliament on December 8.

Penalties against strikers come under three heads: firstly, dismissal of about 15 in ministries who struck; secondly, suspension without salary of those in the public services such as teachers, employees of post offices and hospitals, pending decision whether they should be dismissed or degraded; thirdly, bringing before the courts strikers who disobeyed requisition orders.

M. Jouhaux, chief of the strike leaders, has been penalised of his membership of the Regency Council of the Bank of France in addition to his positions with the National Railway Company, and from the Administrative Council of which M. Semard and M. Jarrigion, Secretaries-General, and M. Llaud, Assistant Secretary-General, of the National Federation of Railwaymen have also been debarred.

Last night, 25 Renault strikers were condemned to one month's imprisonment and fined a hundred Francs each.

In agreement with C.G.T. the following decisions have been taken by the Federation of metal workers and those controlling workers in building, textiles, chemical products, paper and wood trades and in the victualling services: finally to oppose signature of any new individual contracts; secondly, to insist that all workers must be permitted to return to work without being penalised by many could be intimidated by threats."—Reuter.

employers when factories are reopened after lockouts, thirdly, where sanctions have been taken, workers must organise to obtain their withdrawal and the employment of those who have been dismissed under them.

According to reliable figures given early today, there are still over 6,00,000 strikers throughout the country made up of half a million metal workers, 1,00,000 textile workers and workers in industries momentarily unemployed throughout through the effects of the 24 hour lockout.

Three hundred thousand workers have been dismissed in Paris region and 1,60,000 others have lost their jobs in north France.

Altogether 550 state employees in Paris region observed the 24 hour strike. Meanwhile, Government are in process of drawing up a plan to cover a period of several years to intensify national production and complete the programme contained in the decree laws. The plan, which it is understood in well informed quarters has been well received by experts, will not affect the 1939 budget.—Reuter.

REPUBLICANS MAKE DETERMINED DEFENCE

VALENCIENNES Dec. 2.

Twelve mobile guards put last night a determined defence of the Sahut Works where they were protecting 60 men at work.

Twelve hundred demonstrators marched on the works and stoned the guards who held their ground, defending themselves with their rifles butts. Reinforcements led by a sub-prefect relieved the hard pressed squad.—Reuter.

SEVERAL ARRESTS IN HUNGARY

BUDAPEST, Dec. 2.

A large number of arrests were made by police during street demonstrations last night by Hungarian Nazis who shouted Nazi slogans and broke several shop windows.—Reuter.

Impediment In Way Of Allahbux Ministry

Governor Finds It Difficult To Agree With Views Of Congress High Command

KARACHI, Dec. 2.

Khan Bahadur Allahbux, Premier, and Mr. Nichaldas Vazirani, P. W. D. Minister, were closeted with Sir Lancelot Graham, Governor, this morning for about two hours. It is understood that the Governor was acquainted with what took place in his absence.

It is gathered that the postponement of regrouping of lands, which forms an integral part of the assessment proposals of Government and whose revokement for twelve months the Congress seeks as a condition of its support to the Allahbux Ministry, is proving an impediment on the way of settlement between the Ministry and the Congress High Command.

NOT A NEW SUBJECT

It is argued that the subject is not new. In 1932 proposals in this regard were made. During Sir Ghulamhussain's regime the Assembly was given a chance to discuss it. From its enforcement Rs. 3,00,000 will annually accrue to Government. The Sind Government has committed itself to the Central Government in this regard.

UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES THE GOVERNOR, IT IS UNDERSTOOD, FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO AGREE WITH THE VIEWS OF THE CONGRESS HIGH COMMAND.

Informed circles feel that it is difficult for the Premier to satisfy the Congress demand for total postponement of the assessment proposals. The exact position will, it is expected be communicated to Mr Subhas Bose, Congress President to-morrow.—United Press.

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In 1935 there was a young woman in London's University College Hospital who was very despondent. She lay helpless day and night. For ten years, ten long, weary years, she had been suffering from a disease called myasthenia, which affects all the voluntary muscles of the body so that one seems to be suffering from paralysis. She had not been lying in hospital all that time, but she had been the victim of this terrible affliction, and she had become so seriously affected that she could not turn over in bed, and was quite unable to sit up.

Then one day a doctor gave her an injection. Ten minutes later (do not say this is impossible, for it actually happened) she moved her arms. Then she got up, and in a little while she was 'dancing to music.'

It sounds miraculous, but it was done with 15 other patients, and there was never a failure among them.

The drug used was prostigmin, and the honour of finding it must go to a woman doctor of St. Alfege's Hospital at Greenwich, though the honour of realising its greatness must belong to the doctors of University College.

Unfortunately the effect of the drug soon wears off, but doctors are trying to make it last longer, and in all probability they will succeed.

Adjournment Motion Carried

Assembly Censures Revival Of Racial Feuds Of Old Days

(Continued from page 1)

the official imprimatur on this transaction. It is that to which I strongly object.

I have no objection to memorials being raised to the fallen gallant and brave men on either side. If the memorial was sacred to the memory of the brave men who fought and died in 1858 instead of lamentation, we will have remembrance and instead of pity, praise If such were the language of the memorial, I would have no objection, but when one side is referred to as mutineers and as enemies and praise for gallantry is only reserved for one side, then I have my objections. It is not only the victors who are brave, the vanquished may be braver". (cheers).

CREATING RACIAL CONFLICT

He also objected to the reviving of old and forgotten memories and purposely trying to foment racial difficulties. He had no doubt that the presence of this memorial would serve this nefarious purpose. It was no business of the Government of India at the expense of the country to find out in odd nooks and corners old places and old remains and erect cemeteries and raise new memorials on them. He strongly objected to the spirit that pervaded the whole thing. He deplored the presence of a Christian divine on the occasion.

The inscription on the memorial read, said Mr. Sri Prakasa: "To the memory of those men of H. M. 75th Regiment (now the 1st Battalion the Gordon Highlanders) who fell, while charging the mutineers' guns on this mound at the battle of Badli-ke-Serai, 8th June, 1857 to whose gallantry the victory of that day was due and who lie buried here. Instead of lamentation, they shall have remembrance and instead of pity praise."

ARMY APOLOGIA

Mr. Ogilvie, Defence Secretary, made a brief reply. He was extremely surprised, he said, when he received the notice of the adjournment motion this morning. The memorial was raised to the memory of men who died in that place and whose resting place had not up till recently been discovered. It was largely due to the co-operation of the villagers that the place was discovered, and the memorial was raised not by Government but by private agency. The inscription was a plain statement, and ought not to affect the sensibilities of anyone. Mr. Sri Prakasa had compared the old Bengal army which mutinied with Americans and Scots. There was a vital difference. (Derisive interruptions) it was that the first were troops engaged by the Government of the day whose uniform they wore and to whom they had sworn allegiance. Troops who took up arms against the Government they served, must be called mutineers. As regards other matters, he had no intention of saying anything which might arouse unhappy memories: but the contention that the reaction of a memorial to the dead on their cemeteries was a subject of an adjournment motion in the House, he must most emphatically contest. The erection of the memorial was a natural and necessary thing to do. (Cheers from official benches.)

MARTYRS OF FREEDOM

Mr. M. S. Aney declared that the time had come when those in power ought to be more careful in taking note of the people and the tremendous changes that had come over the mentality of the people as a whole. It was once the fashion to describe as mutineers and call bad names those who raised the standard of rebellion against foreign authority. It was now recognised by Indians, particularly those in the villages which were the scene of the events of 1857, that it was a brave attempt to regain lost liberty, though it was an unsuccessful attempt. The country was not now in a mood to put up with or read history through books written by those who had an interest and a bias in writing them. All those who fought in that fight for independence in 1857 were looked upon as martyrs who shed their blood in India's cause. If that fact was not known to the rulers, they had much to learn. By calling the men who fought the Britishers in 1857 "Mutineers", the Government intended to deny that they were brave. It showed there was no generous appreciation of bravery. It showed the depth of vindictiveness which persisted after a hundred years. If the Englishman had failed to understand the new spirit in India, it was no credit to them.

NOT MUTINY, BUT WAR OF INDEPENDENCE

Mr. Ghulam Bhik Nairang, Deputy Leader, Muslim League Party, supported the motion amid cheers from Congress benches.

The point was not whether it was proper or improper to raise a memorial to the soldiers who fell fighting during the rising of 1858, but whether the inscription should have been worded in the way in which it was worded, and whether official blessing by the Commander-in-Chief should have been given to it. What was described as the mutiny had again and again been called the war of independence and the Government ought to have been in a position to appreciate the point of view of Indians in this matter. The results of the struggle of 1858 had to be looked at in the light of the motives and the spirit that animated both sides. He did not blame the British people in having struggled hard to maintain their hold in India. With what justification could they blame Indians who struggled equally hard to maintain their indepence? The memorial was an instance of the flouting of Indian susceptibilities which should stop. Public feeling was clearly opposed to the spirit underlying acts of this kind and the House was entitled to bring that feeling pointedly to the notice of the Government of India.

Closure was applied at this stage, and the House passed the motion without a division and adjourned till Monday.—A. P.

Twenty-Six Crores In Fourteen Years

TOTAL OF CIVIL AND MILITARY EXPENDITURE ON FRONTIER FROM 1923-24 TO 1937-38

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

Seven Conferences of Station Directors of All-India Radio were held since first January 1937, stated Sir Thomas Stewart, replying Mr. Manu Subedar.

He added that the total cost of the last Conference was approximately Rs. 1,150.

Replying to a supplementary, Sir Thomas Stewart said that the Conference proposed to instal receiving centres at all stations of the All-India Radio in order to make as much use of relayed programmes as practicable.

The information that 694 grade apprentices were at present under training was given by Sir Thomas Stewart in reply to another question.

EXPENDITURE ON FRONTIER

Replying to Mr. Satyamurthi, Sir Aubrey Metcalfe, Foreign Secretary, stated that expenditure incurred from civil estimates on the North-West Frontier from civil estimates on the North-West Frontier from 1923-24 to 1937-38 approximately amounted to Rs. 217,389,000 and that on military operations, approximately to Rs. 48,802,000.

The information that 38 XB engines were running on the East Indian Railway given by Sir Thomas Stewart replying to Mr. Satyamurthi's question.

POSTAL FACILITIES

On the assumption that present volume of postcards and letters would remain unaffected, the gross revenue likely to be received by the introduction of half anna post-card was estimated to be about 119 lakhs, which was nearly 59-1/2 lakhs less than the revenue derived at present stated Sir Thomas Stewart replying to Mr. Satyamurthi.

He added that it was the policy of the Government to extend postal facilities to rural areas by opening post offices at places, where there was a real need for them.

Replying to Prof. Ranga, Sir Aubrey Metcalfe said that the Government of India were employing armed civil forces of all kinds in large numbers and bringing all possible pressure, political and economic, to bear on the sections, who either offended themselves or harboured outlaws and others, who had participated in raids in Tribal Areas.

DISCUSSION ON INCOME-TAX BILL

Som's Amendment Lost

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

The Legislative Assembly rejected by 93 votes to 11 Mr. Som's amendment suggesting a number of deductions in the taxable income of the assessee by way of allowance for marriage, children and dependents.

During to-day's discussion of the amendment which was moved last evening by Mr. Som, Mr. A. C. Datta and Mr. Husseinbhai Laljee supported the amendment while Mr. Bhulabhai Desai opposed it.

The House, after lunch, passed clause sixteen, and took up consideration of the "trust" clause. Sir Cowasji Jehangir moved that the provision by which income arising to any person by virtue of a settlement or disposition, revocable or irrevocable, from assets remaining the property of the settlor or disponer would be deemed to be the income of the settlor or disponer. Sir Cowasji believed that trusts, unlike in England, in this country were not made for evading taxation. Besides, he pointed out, in affecting these transfers, the transferor has to pay substantial stamp duty which would perhaps be equivalent to nearly ten years for a period of ten years. He also referred to the amendment to the income-tax act made in 1937 amendment which was expected to yield about thirty lakhs did in fact only yield about two lakhs. This, he said, would show that there was really very little that could be got from this source.

Mr. Bhulabhai Desai explaining the implications of the present provision hoped that a later amendment which aimed at lessening the hardships involved would be acceptable to the House.

MR. DESAI'S SUGGESTION

Mr. Desai said that generally speaking what the provision did was to tax the income of a beneficiary as the income of a settlor in the event of trusts. He conceded that Government would be perfectly justified in preventing the law of trusts being used as a means for tax evasion. But the clause under consideration was far too sweeping and wide. He, therefore, suggested that the provision should be so amended as to touch only revocable trusts and irrevocable trusts for a period up to six years.

After Sir James Grigg's reply, Sir Cowasji requested for permission to withdraw his amendment, in view of the explanation given by the Leader of the Opposition and not of the Finance Member (laughter).

Mr. Santhanam next moved an amendment whereby the clause would be made applicable to income arising to any person by virtue of a settlement or disposition which was not revocable for a period exceeding six years or during the life time of the person and from which income the settlor or disponer derives no direct or indirect benefit. He pointed out that this proviso would be sufficient to cover the possibilities contemplated by the Government.

Mr. Chambers opposing the amendment stated the intentions behind the present provision. He pointed out that the provision would not affect Wakfs, because in the case of Wakfs, the transfer involved the transfer of the corpus as well.

He had not concluded, when the House took up consideration of the adjournment motion.—A.P.

A SHORT STORY

The Only Way

BY MEREDITH SCHOLL.

Eric first saw the girl at the Beach club in Miami. She had ash-colored hair and he thought she was the loveliest thing he'd ever seen. He wanted to meet her, and asked all the people he knew if they could give him an introduction. But none of them seemed to know who she was.

Eric became desperate. The evening was half gone. He had decided she wasn't the type who could be approached informally, but now that all other devices had failed he decided to risk being snubbed.

He went looking for her, and found she had left. It gave him an allgone feeling. He thought he'd lost her forever, but the next day he saw her playing tennis on a private court with another strange girl. He stood watching until the other girl looked at him in annoyance; then he drove on.

Two days later he saw her on the beach. He would have approached her then, but she had a male companion, and he decided it would be smart to keep his distance.

A week passed. Eric made inquiries and learned a few things, but he didn't get an introduction. He wondered whether Fate was working against him. It seemed strange that in this day and age you couldn't meet a girl when you so desperately wanted to.

The following Monday the Hancocks came down from Philadelphia, and Eric felt duty bound to devote some time to them. They were his parents' best friends.

So on Wednesday he invited them to go for a drive. This was their first visit to Florida and they were delighted with everything. They were driving along Orange Grove Avenue when Mrs. Hancock suddenly exclaimed: "Oh, what an adorable house! How original!"

Eric stopped the car. "Like to look at it? I know the people who live there. Name of Salmon."

"Oh, we'd love to! Do you think they'd mind?"

"Not at all." Eric opened the car door. "Come on."

They went up the front walk and knocked. No one answered. Mrs. Hancock looked disappointed. "Come on around back," Eric said. "Maybe they're in the patio."

But the patio was deserted. Eric tried the door to the kitchen. It was unlocked.

"Come on," he said. "This door's unlocked."

"But, Eric, should we? After all, we're strangers——"

"I'm not. Known Bill Salmon for years. He'd feel badly if I didn't show you around."

He stepped inside, and just to show how familiar he was with the place he picked up an apple from the kitchen table and began eating it. He offered the bowl to the Hancocks, but they declined. Mrs. Hancock gushed over the kitchen. Eating the apple, Eric led the way to the dining-room, then into the living-room.

At the living-room door he stopped short, blinked. A girl had been lying on the couch, obviously sleeping. Now she was sitting up, starting wide-eyed. She had ash-colored hair

"Good gosh!" Eric exclaimed. "Who are you?"

"I might return that question and supplement it with: And what are you doing in my house?"

"Your house? Why, Bill Salmon lives here. He's my best friend."

"Bill Salmon does not live here. I live here."

Eric was never so mortified in his life. He didn't know what to do. The Hancock did. They retreated. Eric looked as though he would like to have retreated himself, and probably would have, but just then the girl smiled.

"Haven't I seen you somewhere?" she asked.

"You certainly have!" cried Eric. "I've been chasing you—I mean, we—I saw you at the club dance and——"

"And then you watched me playing tennis."

"And then I saw you on the beach."

They both laughed. Then sobered. Neither seemed to know how to go on from that point. Eric cleared his throat, and tried to explain how he happened to be in the house.

"We rented the house from the Salmons," the girl explained.

"Oh." Eric took a bite of the apple, regretted it, threw the apple into the fireplace and regretted that because the fireplace was immaculate. The girl watched him in amusement. He swallowed the bite of apple with an effort, then grinned.

"It's rather abrupt, but there's a dance at the club to-night and I——would you——"

"I'd love to!" cried the girl.

Her name was Erla Santrell. She was spending two months in Miami with her folks. She was returning to New York for Christmas. She was an artist's model. She didn't like it especially, but what could a girl do?

Eric would have liked to solve the problem for her with a very simple statement. He decided, however, that it might be wise to wait a week or two. He looked up at the noon from where they stood on the terrace of the Beach club.

"I've a confession to make," he said. "I knew the Salmons had moved. I wanted to meet you. It seemed the only way."

She laughed. "I've a confession too. I was only pretending to be asleep. I wanted to meet you. It seemed the only way."

Right away Eric began wondering if he had been wise in deciding to wait a week before suggesting his solution to her problem.

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BOMBAY DISTURBANCES INQUIRY

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

It is hereby notified for general information that the time for sending replies to the Questionnaire issued by the Bombay Disturbances Inquiry Committee is extended up to the 15th December, 1938.

Sir Patrick Cadell

BOMBAY, Saturday.

Any knowledge of the arrival of Sir Patrick Cadell, the Dewan of Rajkot, in Bombay on Saturday (to-day) is denied in political circles here.

Even the Princes' Chamber has no intimation of his arrival.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel is leaving for Ahmedabad to-night.

MUTT AND JEFF—Maybe the Guy Belongs to the External Revenue Department

By BUD FISHER

SAY, BODDY, LEND ME SIX BUCKS, WILL YA?
LEND YOU SIX BUCKS! WE DON'T KNOW YOU!
SH-SH NOT SO LOUD! THEY ONCE THREW ME IN JAIL FOR BORROWIN' MONEY!
THREW YOU IN JAIL FOR BORROWING MONEY?
GO ON, THEY DON'T THROW PEOPLE IN JAIL FOR BORROWING MONEY!
I KNOW, I KNOW, BUT THEY DID ME ---
-BECAUSE I HAD TO ALMOST BEAT THE DAYLIGHT OUT OF THE GUY BEFORE HE WOULD LEND IT TO ME!
TANKS, BUD! I HOPE YOUSE CAN SPARE IT!
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OUR LONDON LETTER

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agitation against any tendency to give way before Hitler's demands for colonies. Reports from South Africa reaching London practically daily show that the agitation is strongest there for a very good reason—South Africa is learning by every day experience. South Africa has Nazis already within her borders. And they are very troublesome Nazis. With this opposition to Hitler's colonial demand in South Africa there is also a strengthened demand for the extension of real liberties to the native peoples—a demand which every democratic should welcome. For although no one would wish to see Nazi tyranny strengthened by the gift of colonies, neither would any sincere person maintain that the present position of the native population under British rule is in any way satisfactory.

Nazi Propaganda

I am told that there are 9,000 Germans in South Africa—6,000 of them are naturalised British citizens and 3,000 are unnaturalised. It is among this section of the population—many of them sent purposely into South West Africa—that Nazi propaganda flourishes. By 1935 the heavily-subsidised Nazi organisation had become so formidable that although the South African Government is by no means hostile to the political ideas of fascism, it was forced to ban organisations using political uniforms and claim a return of South-West Africa to Germany. Since then the Nazis have continued their activities through many apparently harmless organisations, which are in reality camouflaged editions of the former Nazi groups. In 1935 the youth movement "Hitler Jugend" was banned after a raid of the Nazi headquarters in Windhoek. Since then it has been replaced by "Pfanfinders," nominally a "Boy Scout Movement." Activities of the Pfadfinders include "mild forms of espionage" warning illegal Nazi meetings of the approach of the police, and shouting "Ein Reich, ein Volk, ein Fuehrer." The National Socialist Arbeits Kameradschft (Labour Front) is a nominally non-political body for the protection of artisans' interests. Its illegal activities are, however, an open secret. Other movements such as the Verband Deutsche Derufsgruppe, the Kultureveroin, and the Kriegerkamaeradschaft—are used to cloak Nazi activities. The Deutsche Bund is an old-fashioned body which was once hostile to Nazism. Since then, however, Albert Voights, a leading Nazi, has declared that the "leaders of the Bund had to stand back and make room for men who had fully grasped the National Socialist conception." Trained propagandists from Germany arrive on almost every ship. In the schools Nazi propaganda is officially spread by teachers from Germany. The best students are granted a further course of studies in Germany. The German press published in South-West Africa continually demands the return of the colony to "the fatherland," attacks the British, the S.A. SDutch and the Jews, and sneers at democracy. These journals are all under the influence of the German Ministry of Propaganda, either directly or through the medium of its news-service "Ausland Deutsche Machrichten Dienst."

But the feeling against Fascism however suppressed, is deep and widely spread. The South African people are deeply hostile to Fascism. Nonetheless, South Africa, too, has its Chamberlains and its Francos. A large measure of the blame for the position in South Africa belongs to the Union Government. They have taken no really effective measures to protect German anti-Fascists from the Nazi terrorism. While German trade with South West Africa increases by leaps and bounds the Union has made no attempt to restore its steadily dwindling economic influence. Further, the treatment by the Union of its native population is the negation of democracy. While it continues it can only lead to the crumbling of existing democratic institutions and a strengthening and arming of the forces of Fascism and reaction in Africa.

(From "New York Herald Tribune," November 15):—

The question King Carol will put to British Ministers between banquets is: How much is England willing to give to keep Rumania as a bastion of friendship and commercial profits? Or conversely: As far as Rumania is concerned, what does Britain mean by its announced programme of "free competition" with Germany for Balkan trade and privileges.

Britain's answer, according to authoritative sources, will be an offer of 75 million dollar credit for the purchase of British machinery and manufactured goods, and a promise to settle the differences which have existed for years between British and Rumanian oil companies, and which now have assumed new importance in view of Hitler's willingness to aid nations in Eastern Europe.

AMERICAN TOURIST IN NADIAD

Studying Indian Politics

(From A Correspondent.)
NADIAD, Nov. 30.

An American world tourist Mr. Murray who has visited 48 countries, is now touring India. The country, which, he last visited was China.. From there he wanted to go to Japan, but owing to the war, he came to India.

He hopes to go to Japan after the war is over. At present he is studying the Indian politics, the work of Congress Ministries and especially the prohibition movement. He is preaching International Brotherhood, wherever he goes, because he believes that there can be no world peace without International Brotherhood.

Mr. Somabhai Bhavasar, the Editor of "Balmitra" and Mr. Chimanlal C. Narkhi and others saw him and had talks with him on the prohibition movement of the Congress Ministries and Sino-Japan war.

COURTESY IN DRAWING UP AT KERB

When drawing into the kerb in a busy street the good motorist has regard to the requirements of other traffic. He never pulls in at a bus stop or at a corner or opposite a street refuge or opposite a tram stop. No matter how short his stop is, he chooses a place where others will not be inconvenienced by his stationary car.

RY. RATES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Arguments Concluded

The Railway Rates Advisory Committee, concluded the hearing of the arguments, on either side, in the case in which Messrs. D. Abraham & Sons, Shipping Agents, have filed a petition against the Railways, on account of the increase in the freights between Delhi and Bombay and other places. The petitioners are representing a number of skin merchants.

Mr Barwell, continuing his arguments for the Railways, submitted that the petitioners had no "Locus Standi" as they were not exporters of skins, at which the Railway Member pointed out that as consignees they were paying freight to the Railways and ought to be considered as their customers.

Mr. Barwell said that the reduction of the loading capacity of wagons was justified because many traders were in favour of it. Also, bulk for bulk, wet skins were heavier than dry ones, and an adjustment consistent with this difference, was necessary. His final argument was that, if hides which were comparatively cheaper could bear extra freight skins could do the same.

Counsel for the applicants submitted that the onus of proving the reasonableness of the increase rested with the respondents and not with them. The prices of skins were falling, and export was dwindling. The question of skins which formed the subject of contention had not been considered independently by the Railway Counsel, but in comparison with Hides.

A further admission of the Railways was that the proposed increase was only 20 per cent but in actual operation it turned at to be 60 per cent. The applicants were prepared to accept the 20 per cent increase but the extra 40 per cent would hit the business very badly, and the poor Harijans whose mainstay was this business, would be the sufferers. Since it was the desire of the Government to give an impetus to all industries, the submissions of the petitioners should be judged in that light also.

The Commitee will submit their report to the Government of India in due course.

SAHAJANAND TO TOUR GUJARAT AND MAHARASHTRA

It is now reliably understood that Swami Sahajanand Saraswati, President of the All India Kisan Sabha has decided to tour the villages of Gujarat and Maharashtra from 16th to 29th December.

Swamiji will also pay a short visit to Bombay within this period. A comprehensive programme of his tour is being drafted and will be shortly published.

Prof. Shah To Preside Over Students' Conference

(From Our Correspondent)
SURAT, Dec. 2.

It is reliably understood that Prof. K. T. Shah has accepted the invitation of the Bombay Provincial Students' Federation to preside over the Provincial Students' Conference to be held at Surat on December 18 and 19.

Students in Surat are working hard to make all preparations. They expect large number of delegates and visitors to the Conference.

It is further learnt that due to certain circumstantial reasons, the dates of the Conference have been changed to December 18 and 19. Previously it had been announced that the Conference would be held on December 17, 18 and 19.

Surat Collector's Notice To Ranipraj Tenants

(From Our Correspondent)
SURAT, Dec. 1.

Failing to dissuade the Ranipara tenants of Mandavi Taluka from their firm resolve to withhold the payment of exorbitant rents in cash or kind till March 31 next, Rao Bahadur Bhadrapur, the Collector of the Surat District, issued on November 23-24, a printed notice in Gujarati warning them against the dangers of the rent strike launched under the leadership of the local Kisan Sabha.

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Mainly About Motion Pictures

Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power in 'Marie Antoinette' at Metro

"Valley Of The Giants" At The Regal

Warner Brothers' Great Scenic And Story Film

An intensely dramatic film story, enacted by a great cast, and based on a well-loved novel, can hardly fail to be exciting motion picture fare. Add to this the exquisite pictorial beauty of California's redwood country, filmed in vivid Technicolour—and you have "Valley of the Giants," based on the famous Peter B. Kyne novel, coming to Regal from to-day. The Kyne saga of the redwood forests has been picturized twice before—in the days before the screen learned to talk.

Milton Sills and Wally Reid were the stars, and they have a worthy successor in young Wayne Morris, who is probably closer to the author's conception of the hero than either of the former stars. He is to the very life, the big lusty—and finely altruistic—young lumberman who fights so valiantly to prevent the despoliation of his beloved redwood forests. Comparatively a newcomer to Hollywood's list of ranking star names, Morris who won his laurels in "Kid Galahad," gives a magnificent performance, which is backed up by the fine work of an outstanding supporting cast.

Merely listing the names of the performers in the Warner film is impressive enough, for they include Claire Trevor, Charles Bickford, Alan Hale, Frank McHugh, Donald Crisp, Jack LaRue, John Litel and Dick Purcell. But none of them rests on previous laurels; they all prove anew their right to their well-earned reputations.

"Valley of the Giants" is similar to another great Warner production, "Gold Is Where You Find It," in that it contains not only beauty of scene and exciting indent but also real historic significance—and not ancient history either.

It knits together in one well-integrated tale typical incidents of the successful fight of native Californians to prevent the ruthless despoliation of their famous redwood forests by rapacious eastern lumber interests. Without its "big" scenes, "Valley of the Giants" would still be fine dramatic entertainment; with these scenes, the effect on the audience was actually spine-tingling. Colour and sound when added to photography as brilliantly as they are in this production become enormously effective dramatic devices.

Some of the impressive and exciting scenes are: The felling of a huge, 325-foot-high red-wood; the burning down of the land office in the fictitious town of San Hedrin; the rescue of the heroine from a runaway freight caboose; the crumbling, like a mass of toothpicks, of a high railroad trestle as four redwood-laden flat cars are rolling over it; a bitter hand-to-hand battle between hero and villain on the narrow top of a dam spanning a turbulent stream: and the dynamiting of that dam.

It is truly an hour and a half of continuously interesting entertainment, and an achievement of which Director William Keighley may be proud. The screen adaptation of the Kyne novel was written by Seton I. Miller and Michael Fessier.

'MARIE ANTOINETTE' AT METRO

Second Triumphant Week Of Norma And Power

Having broken all houses and city box-office records in its first great week at Bombay's de luxe Metro, the long-awaited filmization of "Marie Antoinette" four years in preparation with an unprecedented cast of 152 players headed by Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power in the co-starring roles, begins its second stanza on Friday and is one of the most ambitiously planned and spectacularly conceived motion pictures to be offered the public since the inception of the talkies.

The new picture casts Miss Shearer in a part she has waited four years to play, that of the little Hapsburg Archduchess who became the last Queen of France. As a backdrop to the dramatic story of the woman whose one moment of love reached heights that were to last her a lifetime is the fabulous era of kings and peasants, unprecedented magnificence and extravagance and the upheaval of an oppressed people from which the French Republic was born.

An eye-staggering array of big names fill the supporting roles, among them John Barrymore as Louis XV with his disease tortured body and warped brain, Robert Morley portraying the dull-witted clod who became Louis XVI, Anita Louise as the Princess de Lamballe, Joseph Schildkraut as the Duke d'Orleans who plotted Antoinette's downfall, Gladys George as Madame du Barry the milliner who became the power behind a crumbling throne, and Henry Stephenson as Count de Mercey. Other famous historical figures represented include Napoleon, Lafayette, Benjamin Franklin, Robespierre and Danton.

Arthur Treacher, Deanna Durbin and Herbert Marshall in one of the hilarious scenes from the Universal production "Mad About Music"

JANE WITHERS IN "RASCALS"

Dimpled Imp In A Gypsy Caravan

There's no telling where Jane Withers will pop up next. America's effervescent number one mischief-maker will be seen next with a gypsy caravan at the Capitol Theatre in an appropriately named 20th Century-Fox production, "Rascals."

This dimpled imp has been a jockey in a recent picture, an orphan in another—but not until "Rascals" has she pulled all of her juvenile jack rabbits out of the hat at once.

Aided by Borrah Minevitch and his refugees from a musical madhouse, the harmonica gang, Jane cavorts through the picture with the skill of a seasoned trouper and leaves her movie fans hysterical with mirth while Robert Wilcox and Rochelle Hudson untangle the skeins of a love that is hampered by a jealous tzigane and a titleseeking mother.

Rochelle, fleeing marriage to a titled fortune-hunter, stumbles into the camp where Wilcox, a college youth, is seeing the world from the romantic atmosphere of Romany songs and dances.

Watchmaker Jane goes to work in this situation and any one with so much as a nodding acquaintance with her technique can judge the result. A riotous climax is the rascal band barging into a society wedding to break up the ceremony . . . . so that everything can end happily, if not hysterically. Robert Eddis and Helen Logan wrote the original screen play. H. Bruce Humberstone directed with John Stone associate producer.

Virginia Bruce in 'Woman Against Woman' at Pathe

"MAD ABOUT MUSIC" AT WELLINGTON

Dianna Durbin Sings And Acts Her Best

Dianna Durbin's picture is always an event. "Mad about Music" showing this week at Wellington, is an astounding display of both acting and singing. The producers of "Mad About Music" have boldly thrown Dianna into a story that demands the utmost in acting talent. And the 15-year old Dianna handles the assignment with ease and assurance.

As entertainment "Mad About Music" excels all her previous pictures. "Mad About Music" is almost entirely comedy-drama, but with a story that lends itself to several highly emotional passages, heart-gripping in their intensity, bringing tears in their wake, which are immediately followed by comedy sequences, forcing smiles.

Gail Patrick is cast as the screen-star-mother, with William Frawley as the business manager. Arthur Treacher comes in for his share of the comedy work as the secretary-valet to Herbert Marshall. Dianna Durbin sings four songs "I Love To Whistle", "Serenade To The Stars", "Chapel Bells", "Ave Maria".

"WOMAN AGAINST WOMAN" AT PATHE

Herbert Marshall, Mary Astor And Virginia Bruce Starring

A new acting trio that might well be re-teamed for other vehicles makes its appearance in the persons of Herbert Marshall, Virginia Bruce and Mary Astor, seen together for the first time in "Woman Against Woman" at the Pathe this week.

Marshall turns in a convincing and appealing portrait of the husband in this picturization of Margaret Culkin Banning's story, "Enemy Territory," dealing with a second wife who fights against public censure in her husband's home town. Miss Bruce and

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Tom Walls in 'Strange Boarders' at the New Empire

Tom Walls As Secret Service Agent

"Strange Boarders" At New Empire

This week the New Empire theatre are presenting a new Gainsborough thriller, "Strange Boarders", starring one of the most talented and popular of British film actors—Tom Walls. Based on the famous novel by E. Phillips Oppenheim, the film provides this star with what proves to be one of his most thrilling roles.

His portrayal of Tommy Blythe, a dauntless Secret Service agent, although essentially straight in character, also vouchsafes Tom Walls' exceptional opportunities for putting over that scintillating humour for which he is so renowned—an element which adds considerable piquancy to the countless dangerous situations in which he finds himself during the thrilling course of the picture.

With Renee Saint-Cyr in the leading feminine role as the glamorous French bride whom the star is forced to desert on his wedding night to undertake an intelligence mission of national urgency, the film unfolds its exciting plot against the pulsating background of England's capital.

The mystery starts when an old woman, fatally injured in a street accident, is found to have in her possession aeronautical plans of the utmost secrecy whose existence is known only to the highest officials in the Air Ministry. An international gang is suspected and Tommy Blythe, the most reliable man in the Intelligence force, is put on their track without delay.

The fact that he is forbidden to reveal a word of this delicate assignment to his wife is enough to arouse her womanly jealousy. She follows him secretly—her surprise appearance adding an even greater air of confusion to the Bayswater boarding house where Tom Walls has taken a room to keep an eye on its strange boarders whom some definite clues have linked with the crime.

A weird and motley crew—their mysterious activities lead Tom Walls and his wife—whom he is forced to accept as a confederate—an exciting chase, not without its hilarious entanglements, all over London, with the star ever hotter on the scent.

The thrilling climax, when both sides have laid their cards on the table and death seems inevitable to the investigator and his lovely companion, is capped by an ingenious denouement.

A cast of exceptional appeal is seen in support. The strange boarders include C. V. France as a gruff odd Army man; Nina Boucicault as his wife; Ronald Adam as a blind man of sinister portent and Leon M. Lion in one of his inimitable Cockney characterisations; while Googie Withers is seen as a pseudo servant girl, one of the most active members of the gang, and Irene Handl plays the chatty landlady of No. 13 Palace Crescent. "Strange Boarders" was directed by Herbert Mason.

MISS STANWYCK AS SOCIALITE DETECTIVE

"Mad Miss Manton" At Eros

What happens when an impulsive society girl decides to solve a murder mystery is revealed in "The Mad Miss Manton," RKO Radio's comedy-thriller co-starring Barbara Stanwyck and Henry Fonda at the Eros this week.

Miss Stanwyck, a wealthy debutante whose escapades and sensational pranks keep her in continual trouble with the police, evokes a stinging editorial from Fonda's newspaper. As a result, when she finds a body in a deserted house and reports it to the authorities, they assume she is perpetrating another "stunt"—especially when the body is found to have vanished.

But with the aid of her little group of intimate girl friends Miss Stanwyck decide to investigate the affair on her own. This leads her into a stormy romance with Fonda and hectic arguments with the police. The discovery of a second body, the reappearance of the first one, and sinister warnings and shots in the dark maintain an atmosphere of suspense and excitement right up to the gripping climax.

Sam Levene heads the supporting cast as the harassed police lieutenant, and Stanley Ridges, Penny Singleton, Paul Guilfoyle, Frances Mercer, Vicki Lester, Eleanor Hansen and Whitney Bourne have important roles. Leigh Jason directed this production by P. J. Wolfson.

Jane Withers in 'Rascals' at Capitol

"Slave Ship" At Broadway

Warner Baxter And Wallace Beery Starring

Storming in epic sweep over half the world, as the last slaver sails on its last desparate voyage, "Slave Ship" opens to-day at the Broadway, Dadar, giving the screen a new claimant for the title of mightiest of all the sea sagas.

Twentieth Century-Fox's most spectacular production of the year, "Slave Ship" co-stars Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery in a tale of the slave-trading era, with Elizabeth Allan and Mickey Rooney among those on the boat as, with decks reddened by mutiny, it roams the seas on its final fury-racked voyage.

Slave Ship traces the tempestuous career of a swift bark engaged in the slave trade, and its courageous captain, Warner Baxter, who planned to retire from "blackbirding" to settle down to a new life with his young bride, Elizabeth Allan.

As they sail on, Baxter's boat on the honey-moon cruise which is to mark the end of its days as a slaver, they find that they have been betrayed by the mate, Wallace Beery, and the crew, avid for more slaving profits. The honeymoon cruise is turned into a voyage in which they are continually brought face to face with danger and death.

Sought by the navies of every nation, and torn by mutiny aboard, the slave ship sails on through adventures on the high seas and along the African coast, and it is a dramatic climax which clears the future for the captive couple and sends the ill-fated slaver to its ominous destiny.

MELVYN DOUGLAS purchased the cartwheel used on THE SHINING HOUR set for a house number stand in front of his new Hollywood land home.

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Miss Astor, who plays the unsympathetic first wife, present a vivid control in appearance and types of beauty, at the same time contributing compelling characterizations exacting roles.

Outstanding in the supporting cast are Janet Beecher, Marjorie Rambeau, Juanita Quigley Zeffie Tilbury, Sarah Padden and Betty Ross Clarke.

Robert Sinclair is responsible for a well modulated pace in his direction, making the utmost of every episode. Producer Edward Chodorov wrote a well-balanced entertaining screen play, with adult dialogue which goes far in winning conviction.

Clair Trevor in 'Valley of the Giants' at Regal

Warner Baxter and Elizabeth Allan in 'Slave Ship' at Broadway

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All-India Kisan Day On Jan. 31

PROGRESS OF KISAN MOVEMENT

The All-India Kisan Sabha has issued the following bulletin:

Prof. N. G. Ranga, General Secretary of the All-India Kisan Committee has announced January 31 next (instead of December 31 announced before) as the last date for enrolling members for the All-India Kisan Sabha. All those enrolled before January 31 will be eligible for participating in the election of delegates for the ensuing Gaya Session of the All-India Kisan Sabha.

The Central Kisan Council will meet on January 7, 8 and 9 at Guntakal (in Andhra) under the presidentship of Swami Sahajanand. The Constitution and Volunteer Sub-Committees will also meet at the same time. All members are requested to make it a point to attend these important meetings.

Land Satyagraha in Gaya

—This struggle reached a critical stage when Pandit Jadunandan Sharma, the leader of the campaign and Messrs. Raganath Brahmachari, Shivshankar Bharati and Gangull were served with notices under Sec. 144 Cr.P.C. on November 14 by the Sub-Divisional Officer of Nawada to quit Warsaliganj police station within twenty-four hours.

But Pandit Sharma and his companies not only refused to leave the area but continued to cut down the paddy crops attached under Section 145 after giving previous ,notice to the S.D.O. in the matter. But no arrests were made. It is further understood that orders issued under Section 144 are being withdrawn.

The Gaya Dt. Kisan Conference was held on November 21-22 to support the struggle.

Kisan Satyagraha In Berar?

Vidarbha Kisan Conference held at Shendurajana Ghat in last February under the presidentship of Swami Sahajanand appointed a provisional committee to organise Kisan Sabhas in Berar. Now the growing unrest among the Kisans and failure of Congress Ministries to redress their grievances as also the conversion of Congress organisations into mere election machines, have created an immediate urge among the rank and file of the Congress and Kisan workers to initiate the work of Kisan Sabha in this province. During the last few weeks Kisan workers of Amraoti visited Rahatgaon, Ashti, and Loni and addressed meetings of Kisans and tried to understand their grievances.

Questions of excessive land revenue and Government attachment of standing crops, landlords' rents and sahukars' debts, loom large on the horizon. The failure of crops this year and the fall in prices have added to the misery of the peasants in Yeotmal as well as Amraoti districts. The peasants' Conference recently held at Wenikotha in Yeotmal District passed a resolution threatening Satyagraha if Government failed to take immediate steps to stop the harassment of peasants from attachment of standing crops and other oppressive measures.

Peasants' and Tenants' Struggle In Punjab

—In view of the miserable plight of the peasantry and the indifference of the Punjab Government towards their demands, the Jullundhur Dt. Kisan Committee has decided to resort to 'Satyagraha' by holding a huge demonstration of Kisans in front of the office of the Commissioner of Jullundhur Division on December 20 next, on the lines of the Amritsar 'Morcha.' Forces are being mobilised throughout the district for the purpose. The demands of the Kisans are immediate and effective measures for reducing the subsoil water charges to a reasonable level, remission of revenue on 'Rabi' crops, assessment of revenue on income-tax principles, and total abolition of 'Chahi' 'Malba' and 'Chowkidara' levies.

Renewed Activity in Maharashtra

A general meeting of the recently started Ahmednagar District Shetkari (Kisan) Sangha was held on 11th November, Sjt. Yedu Patil, the President of the Shetkari Sangha presided. Messrs. K. B. Deshmukh, M.L.A., Sht. Bhapkar, Com. Bhuskute, Com. D. B. Kulkarni, Ramrao Borde, Com. Koheer Sagar and other Kisan leaders from all parts of the district were present. Loss through excessive rain and overflood, Annawari, free use of patschal, repressive rules of the Irrigation department, etc., were discussed.

Mr. K. B. Deshmukh, M.L.A., expressed dissatisfaction with the work done so far for the peasants and confirmed the necessity of starting independent organisations of Kisans in Maharashtra.

Resolutions regarding enrolment of Twenty-thousand members of A.-I. Kisan Sabha in Ahmednagar District before 1st January, 1939, and convening Parner Taluk Shetkari Parishad at Kanhur on first December were passed.

Kisan workers in Khandesh District are also up and doing and have decided to enrol a good number of members this year. Swami Sahajanand is expected to visit both these districts during the next month.

Repression In Andhra

On November 8, the Jt. Magistrate of Bezwada took interim bonds under Section 107 from 28 kisans of Siripuram in the zamindari of Mungala in Krishna District. The kisans who were unable even to pay their bus charges, walked all the 75 miles to attend the court hearing. They were received by the villagers enthusiastically on their way and were accorded hospitality especially the reception of the workers of Bezwada was unique. Meetings were held on the way and the zamindari attrocities were explained and a wave of indignation aroused throughout the villages against the zamindar of Mungala, who is called a "Congress Zamindari." This march of the Kisans has been successful in arousing the sympathy of the ryotwari kisans and the general public towards the zamindari kisan movement.

Malabar Peasants March On

In pursuance of the call given by the Kerala Provincial Karshaka Sangha, the Tenancy Act Amendment Day was observed throughout Malabar on November 6th. Peasants attended in their hundreds and thousands the meetings held at Kutyadi Karivellur, Potavoor, Vettathu Puthiangadi, Karikkadu Vadakkekadu, Trikkaripur, Cheruvathur, Uduma, Irikkur, Alanthotta, Klaikote, Chungathara, Padichalu and several other places where resolutions demanding changes in the proposed Tenancy Act Amendment Bill were unanimously pass-

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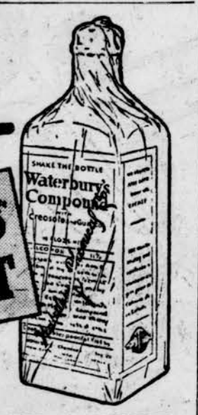

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General Industrial Outlook

PACE OF RECOVERY RECEIVES SET BACK

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

During the year under review (1937-38) the pace of industrial recovery suffered a set back. Except in the cotton textile industry whose comparative prosperity was an outstanding features of the year, there was a general check in other spheres of industrial activity of the Province owing to deterioration in the purchasing power of the masses, increase in foreign competition in manufactured articles, and greater industrial strife. Although as compared with the previous year there was a general increase in the volume of industrial production, the rate of the increase during the year was generally less than in the previous year.

The position, of the premier industry of this Province, namely, cotton textile, may fairly be stated to have been one of continued progress and comparative prosperity. The number of mills working night-shifts in Bombay and Ahmedabad was considerably larger at the close than at the beginning of the year. The hosiery and silk fabrics also showed substantial increase in production over the previous year.

Of the other industries, the oil mills, vegetable ghee factories, aluminiumware factories, the soap industry and the engineering industry on the whole appear to have done quite well. The confectionery and gold thread industry, and the glass industry suffered from excessive internal competition and due to Japanese competition respectively.

Technical advice and assistance rendered by the Department to organised industries during the year covered a wide range.

Experimental and research work was conducted successfully in connection with glass furnace for use in small scale and cottage industry. Funds were sanctioned by by Covernment and preliminary steps were taken during the year for the establishment of an engineering workshop and a chemical laboratory for experimental and research work in connection with improved tools and processes for small scale and cottage industries.

COTTAGE INDUSTRY

The Department of Industries continued as before to devote considerable attention to cottage industries.

The Department carried on its propaganda of helping and advancing cotton and silk hand weaving, which is the premier cottage industry of the Province by means of its weaving schools and demonstration.

All-India Spinners' Association and All-India Village Industries Association.—A grant-in-aid was given to the All-India Spinners' Association and All-India Village Industries Association for carrying out approved schemes of development of rural industries. Very good work was carried on by these two bodies during the year, the former in connection with hand spinning and Khadi weaving and the latter in connection with the production of jaggery out of palm and palmyra juice.

MARKETING OF HANDLOOM PRODUCTS

Marketing of handloom products under the Government of India grant continued to receive attention of the Department. The District Industrial Association at Poona had to be closed down for unsatisfactory work but an association at Sholapur was organised in its stead with success during the year. On the whole, the District Industrial Associations have made a good beginning.

During the year a wool expert was appointed from the Government of India grant for the improvement of wool weaving as a rural industry and arrangements were made for the marketing of wool products.

TECHNICAL AND INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION

The number of technical and industrial schools in the Province during the year stood at 60, of which 24 were maintained by public and private bodies aided by the Department and 1 was a Government technical institute, the remainder being only recognised for inspection and examination by the Department through the Committee of Direction for Technical Education.

Of the 1880 candidates who appeared at the annual examination in April 1937, 1,526 or 81 per cent. were successful. Of these, 608 candidates took the final year examinations of the different courses and 533 passed and were awarded certificates. The grant-in-aid disbursed during the year amounted to Rs. 38,813 recurring and Rs. 849 odd non-recurring for equipment grants.

The Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, which continued to work satisfactorily during the year, reached its 50th year of its existence. The popularity and prestige of this Institute continue to spread throughout India.

The R. C. Technical Institute, Ahmedabad, which is a Government institute, continued to work satisfactorily.

A number of Government scholarships for Intermediate and Backward Classes and Muhammadans were awarded as usual during the year. In addition, 2 scholarships in technical chemistry for research work and 1 scholarship in electrical engineering were also awarded.

The Bombay Government Apprentice Scheme was introduced during the year and the first batch of 327 apprentices was admitted in mills and workshops in Bombay City and Ahmedabad.

FISHERIES

Continued success has met the efforts of the Department in regard to popularising the use of launches among the fishermen for the rapid transport of fish from the fishing sites to the city.

The fishermen at the ports at which the launches operated realised as in the previous years better prices for their fish and took keener interest in their trades.

The introduction of power propelled vessels, apart from sucessfully fulfilling the primary need of augmenting the Bombay City's supply of fish, has attracted capital to the aid of the fishing industry.

Further progress was made in regard to the scheme to train apprentices to handle and operate the launches.

The propaganda which the Fisheries Inspector is conducting has led to the realisation amongst fishermen of the desirability of curing fish in accordance with sanitary principles.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

The Bombay Weights and Measures Act, 1932, which was introduced in August 1935 remained in force during the year under report. The work of reverification of weights and measures was started all over the Province.

MISCELLANEOUS

The Department participated in the activities relating to the Village Improvement Scheme by deputing its technical staff with portable implements on the Village Uplift Van for propaganda and demonstration purposes.

The total expenditure incurred by the Department during the year was Rs 7,29,597 and the total income was Rs. 4,20,230.

The activities of the Department expanded considerably during the period under review. A number of new schemes was formulate by the Department and sanctioned by Government. Some of these were put into effect while in the respect of the others much preliminary work had to be done. Many and varied were the demands made on the time of the staff who were consequently subjected to unusually heavy strain of work.

MESHVO CANAL SCHEME

Conference Of Officials, Congress M. L. As. And Peasants

(From Our Correspondent).

AHMEDABAD, (By Mail).

An exclusive Conference of Congress Workers, M.L.As., Government Officers, and peasants from Ahmedabad and Khaira Districts was held to-day noon at the Congress House to discuss plans of the new Meshvo Canal scheme which is prepared by the Bombay Government. Hon. Mr. M. Y. Nurie, Minister for Public Works, was in the Chair. He explained the scheme of Meshvo Canal and asked Congress workers for co-operation. Some workers of Khaira suggested amendments in the present scheme, to which "due consideration will be given by the Government," said Mr. Nurie.

It is understood that this scheme will be put into operation shortly.

By the Meshvo Canal scheme, it is hoped, peasants of the District will get permanent relief.

BOMBAY SHOE WORKERS' UNION

A general meeting of the Bombay Shoes workers was held in the Nagpada Neighbourhood Hall on Tuesday. Workers from Fort, Kamathipura, Bhendi Bazar were present in large numbers. Mr. Yusuf Ali presided.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. S. S. Mirajkar, General Secy. B.P.T.U.C. who appealed the workers to strengthen their union.

The meeting formally adopted the constitution prepared by the managing committee and elected office-bearers for the next year.

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FEDERAL COURT'S DECISION

(Continued from col. 1).

of India, he said, was that any Provincial Act imposing a tax on the sale of any goods (other than a turn over tax) was an invasion on Entry 45 in Federal Legislative List. It was part of Government of India's case that a tax on sale of goods, manufactured or produced elsewhere infringed the provisions of Section 297 (1) (B) of the Constitution Act against discrimination.

IMMENSE FIELD OF TAXATION.

His Lordship pointed out that this interpretation of Federal Entry would exclude the province from an immense field of taxation in which Government of India did not now probably would never in future seek to compete.

The Chief Justice held that the Central Provinces Excise Act Number Two of 1915 to which the Advocate General referred to did not refer to Excise duties or anything like them. Provision was also made in most Provincial Acts for payment of licence fees in connection with the production and sale of alcohol in the province but these fees were mentioned in Devolution Rules entry in addition to Excise duties and were something different from them. Thus at the date of the Constitution Act, though the word Excise was not infrequently used as a general label for a system of internal indirect taxation or for the administration of a particular indirect tax (as salt excise or opium Excise) the only kind of Excise duties known in India by that name were duties collected from manufacturers or producers. His Lordship said that it seemed not an unreasonable inference that Parliament intended the expression "Duties of Excise" in the Constitution Act to be understood in the sense in which upto that time, it had been used in India.

CENTRE Vs. PROVINCES

The conclusion also seemed to him in harmony with the general scheme of the Act and its method of differentiation between the powers and functions of the Centre and the Provinces. It would be strange, said His Lordship, if the Central Government had the exclusive power to tax retail sales, even if the tax was confined to goods produced or manufactured in India, when the Province had the exclusive power to make laws in respect of trade and commerce and in respect of the production, supply and distribution of goods, within the Provincial boundaries. He held that there was neither ambiguity nor doubt, if the two entries were read together and interpreted in the light of one another.

NOT "ULTRA VIRES" OF LEGISLATURE

His Lordship added that in the present case, the result might well be that the Central Government would find itself unable to make such a distribution of the proceeds of the Excise duties under Section 140, as it might otherwise desire to do, but these were not matters of that Court. The view he had taken also made it unnecessary for him to consider the difficult question of interpretation of a Section 297 (1) (B) and he expressed no opinion on it. He would accordingly report to His Excellency that the said Act of the C. P. was not 'ultra vires' of the Legislature. There would be no order as to costs.—A. P.

BENGAL GOVT. TO FOLLOW C. P.

NEW DELHI, Dec. 2.

Following the judgment delivered by the Federal Court today in the Central Provinces Motor Spirit and Lubricants Act case in favour of the Central Provinces, the Government of Bengal, it is understood, will introduce in the Bengal Legislative Assembly during the Budget Session a Bill levying tax on sales of motor spirit and lubricants and certain other specified goods. —United Press

PUNJAB ASSEMBLY'S SUDDEN DECISION

LAHORE, Dec. 2.

The Punjab Legislative Assembly unexpectedly adjourned 'sine die' to-day following a ruling by the Speaker that the Assembly would meet only on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, and the Premier thereupon declaring that he would like it adjourn 'sine die' in that case. Votes were then taken and the House decided to adjourn 'sine die' by 96 to 36 votes.—United Press.

BIHAR COUNCIL TO BE SUMMONED

To Remedy Defects In Money-Lenders Act

PATNA, Dec. 2.

The Bihar Government is understood to have decided to call a special Session of the Bihar Council on about December 20 with a view to enacting necessary legislation amending such sections of the recently enacted Bihar Money-lenders Act, as have been declared invalid by the Patna High Court.

The amendments carried out by the Council will be placed before the Assembly, when the House meets for the Winter Session in January next.

HIGH COURT DECISION

It will be recalled that a Special Full Bench of the Patna High Court delivering judgment recently on a point of law relating to certain provisions of the Bihar Money-lenders Act, arising out of an appeal in a mortgage suit, declared Sec. XI null and void and "ultra vires" of the Bihar Legislature. The Sec. was held to be repugnant to the existing Law enacted by the Central Legislature. The Section deals with powers of the Court to pass a decree on suits brought by moneylenders, regarding interest with retrospective effect.

Earlier Sections XVI and XVII of the Bihar Money-lenders Act were also declared invalid by the Patna High Court.—A.P.

U. P. STAMP ACT AMENDMENT CARRIED

LUCKNOW, Dec. 2.

After two days' full-dress debate, the joint session of the United Provinces Legislatures passed the U.P. Stamp (Amendment) Bill, 1938, as amended by 155 to 64 votes.

In the course of two days' debate all the amendments moved by Government were passed without division.—United Press.

PETIT PARSI ORPHANAGE GOLDEN JUBILEE

Addresses Presented To Mrs. Hamabai Mehta And Sir D. M. Petit

The Golden Jubilee celebrations of the J. N. Petit Parsi Orphanage took place at Allbless Baug on Friday night when a large gathering of notable members of the Parsi community was present. Prominent among being the Dowager Lady Dinshaw Petit, Sir Shapoorji and Lady Billimoria, Sir Hormusji Cowasji Dinshaw, Sir Jamshedji and Lady Duggan, Sir Hormuzdiar P. Dastur, Sir and Lady Byramji, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Khandalawalla, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wadia. The Hon. Mr. B. J. Wadia, Judge of the Bombay High Court, presided.

A MELANCHOLY EVENT

In his introductory speech Mr. Justice Wadia thanked the audience and outlined the history of the orphanage giving a retrospective account of its activities. He said: "This institution owes its origin to a melancholy event which occurred some decades back —I mean the demise of the dear son of the late Seth Jamshedji to commemorate whose untimely death it was founded." He emphasized that the young men of the Parsi community had to still learn the dignity of manual labour. He said this attitude had to be forgotten if the unemployment problem in the community had to be solved. If this was achieved there could be no doubt that the younger generation could make a living as honest and respectable citizens of the Parsi community.

Referring to the philanthropic activities of Mrs. Hamabai Jehangir K. Mehta, Mr. Justice Wadia told the gathering what she had done for Parsi girls. He said no one in the community could equal that feat. After the President had concluded his speech, Ervad Framroze Bode read the report for the year and then read out the address which he later presented to Sir Dinshaw M. Petit. Khan Bahadur Dr. Phirozesnaw Balsara followed by reading the second address which was presented to Mrs. Hamabai Mehta.

SIR DINSHAW'S THANKS

When the presentation of the two addresses was over Sir Dinshaw suitably thanked the gathering and narrated the circumstances under which his ancestors founded the Institute and promised that as far as possible he would spare no pains to look after the welfare of the Orphanage.

The orphans and inmates of the Institution were then served with dinner. After which the guests were entertained to a sumptuous banquet.

The function terminated with relaying of musical interludes from the Bombay Broadcasting Station.

Ban On Lethal Weapons In Surat Villages

(From Our Correspondent)

SURAT, Dec. 2.

The District Magistrate has issued a notification prohibiting the use of lathis and other lethal weapons by the Kisans and Halis of Mandvi Kasba and Pardi village on December 6, when the Kisan Sabha will hold a public meeting in connection with the reception of Biradar Pangarkar, a noted Kisan leader to be released shortly from the Baroda jail.

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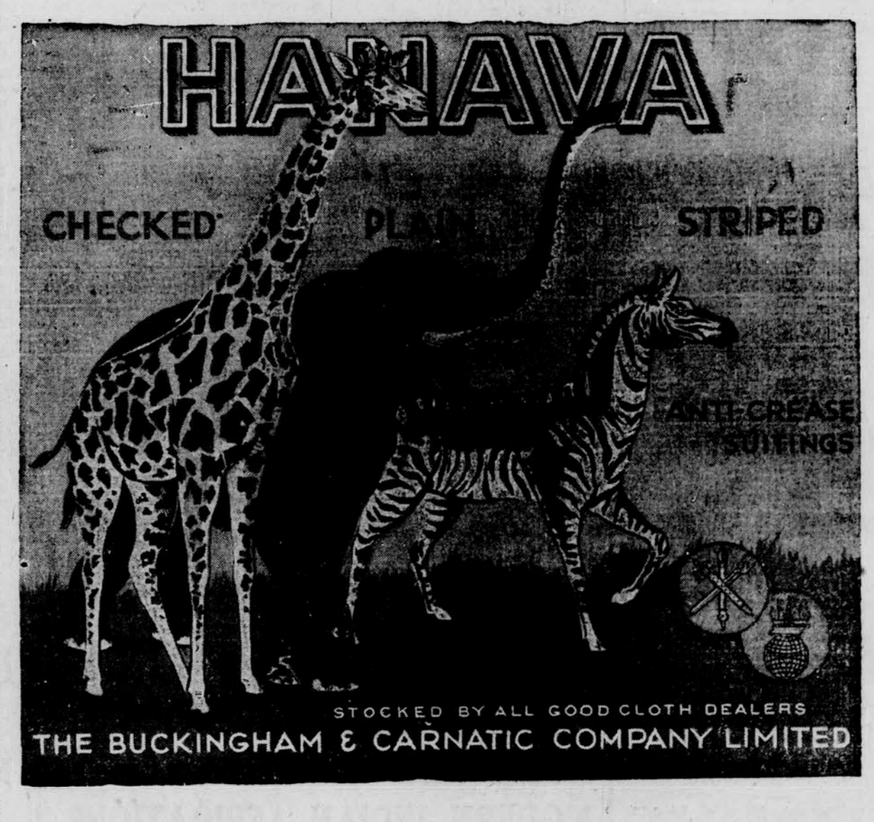

EXPEDITE FORMATION OF KARNATAK PROVINCE

Resolutions protesting against

The annual general meeting of the Karnatak Chamber of Commerce was held at Bagalkot with the discriminatory policy of the Madras Government in the matter of creating a separate province for Andhra, requesting the Bombay Premier to expedite the creation of a Karnatak province, requesting the Karnatak members in the Madras and Bombay Legislatures to take necessary steps in the matter, congratulating the Bombay Government on the passing of the Industrial Disputes Bill and restoration of con-fiscated lands Bill, urging the Government of Bombay to take early steps to reinvestigate the Tungbhadra project with a view to locate the Bund at a higher level, etc., were adopted.

INDIAN HISTORICAL RECORDS COMMISSION

NEW DELHI, Dec. 1.

The Universities of Travancore, Calcutta and Mysore have nominated Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Travancore University, Dr Hemchandra Roychowdhury, M.A. Ph.D., and Dr. K. N. Venkatasubha Sastry, M.A., Ph.D., to represent them respectively at the fifteenth session of the Indian Historical Records Commission to be held at Poona on the 16th and 17th December next.

Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan will also represent the Government of Travancore.

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WITH THESE WORDS MR. PRABHASHANKER R. BHATT REQUESTED H.E. SIR ROGER LUMLEY, THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY TO DECLARE OPEN THE "RAMCHANDRA M. BHATT HOSTEL" AND TO UNVEIL THE BUST OF THE LATE MR. R. M. BHATT, PUT UP IN HIS MEMORY.

NEED OF MEDICAL STUDENTS FULFILLED

The Hostel is situated in the vast compounded behind the J. J. Hospital. A large number of doctors, professors of the Grant Medical College, medical students, and well-known citizens witnessed the ceremony, which took place on Friday evening.

Dr. C. S. Patel, to whom credit goes for getting the funds for the construction of the Hostel, at the outset read telegrams and messages of congratulations and apology for absence.

Sir Temulji Nariman then in an introductory speech reminded the Governor of the state of things, which prevailed in 1865, when he was a medical student in G. M. College, where there was a small building for Hostel and Parsi students were required to take bath first after leaving the College as they had defiled themselves by touching the dead bodies. He thanked God that he was permitted to witness the opening ceremony of the structure, whose foundation-stone he had laid some time ago.

HISTORY OF HOSTEL.

Lt.-Col. S. L. Bhatia in giving a brief history of the Hostel pointed out the difficulties in raising the money for it, especially when the Government were not in a position to make any grant.

When they were in the midst of these difficulties, Dr. C. S. Patel came forward with an offer of Rs. 1,50,000 from the trustees of the late Mr. R. M. Bhatt for the Hostel which was raised to Rs. 2,50,000 subsequently.

At the end of the ceremony the Governor distributed presents to the architects and contractors and Lt.-Col. Jelal M. Shah moved a vote of thanks to the Governor for presiding on the occasion, in which he gave reminiscences of his students life in the Medical College in London, which the late King George V. visited and expressed his greatest pleasure to be amid medical men. The Governor, he said was heart and soul with those, who worked for the social welfare of the country.

Mr. Prabhashanker R. Bhatt in requesting the Governor to declare open the Hostel said:—

This day will ever remain a red letter day in my life; for I feel that I have faithfully discharged to-day the sacred trust enjoined on me by my revered father. Perhaps, you are all aware, my father always took a very great and keen interest in education and most of the charities have been in accordance with the same, either directly or indirectly. I particularly feel gratified to-day not only because I have carried out faithfully his injunction to me to do something of imperishable educational value, but also because this Hostel will be doing its service to the students of the Grant Medical College, irrespective of caste, creed or community. In other words, I feel happy in the thought that this cosmopolitan institution will be of lasting service to generations of students coming after, and I am quite sure that nothing would have pleased my father more than a thing like this in connection with education, which would be of cosmopolitan service.

COSMOPOLITAN INSTITUTION.

Personally, I think that the importance of this Hostel lies not in its architectural beauty, nor in its airy rooms, nor again in its up-to-date fittings. The importance, if at all it has any, lies in its cosmopolitan character. I suppose you will all agree with me that the greatest obstacle and danger to our progress as a nation is the communal and sectarian spirit that is rife all around us even to-day. In recent times this canker of communalism, which is eating into the vitals of our nation, has been spreading like wild fire and is gradually gaining in strength and extensiveness. Unless and until we root it out and that too quickly, I am afraid, we shall not only have to suffer a great deal but also the whole of the democratic experiment which we have launched will be doomed and we shall not be able to occupy our proper place among the nations of the world. Hence, the greatest need in our country to-day is the development of the spirit of mutual tolerance between all the communities and the development of the real cosmopolitan spirit. In this Hostel there will be abundant opportunities for cultivating this cosmopolitan spirit and herein lies the importance of this Hostel considered in its wider and national outlook. This Hostel is a cosmopolitan institution and that I have been privileged to play an humble part in bringing it into existence, while trying to discharge the duty enjoined on me by my revered father affords me the greatest satisfaction. I do not think that the better memorial to cherish and perpetuate the memory of my father in a fitting manner could have been raised than this cosmopolitan institution, while it will be remembered that mostly his charities were cosmopolitan.

COST OF BUILDING.

The actual cost of this building has come to over Rs. 2½ lakhs including the Hostel Funds, which amounted to Rs. 13,366-2-6. The building can accommodate 207 students in all. Setting up the foundation did cost us more than the actual estimate because in the course of excavation, sea-boulders were found which had to be removed. A number of other changes, in the plans of construction were made by me with a view to give greater amenities and convenience to the students and also a number of suggestions, which were made by my friend Mr. Ramdas Mavani, with regard to the longevity of the building and Mr. Bhuta, who was responsible for the design, were incorporated in the scheme. All this has led to an increase in the cost to the tune of a lakh of rupees.

My only regret on this happy occasion is that my mother, who had whole-heartedly approved of the proposal to construct a hostel in memory of my father, is not alive to-day to see and feel proud of this magnificent edifice.

Now, I request you, Your Excellency, to declare open this Hostel built in memory of my revered father and named "Ramchandra M. Bhatt, Medical Hostel" and bless the same with your benedictions and also to unveil the bust put up in grateful memory of him.

GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.

The Governor then declared open the Ramchandra M. Bhatt Medical Hostel and also unveiled the bust of the late Mr. R. M. Bhatt and said:—

"I need not dwell at length on the value of a Hostel such as this to students engaged in the long and arduous preparation, which is necessary for entry into the honourable profession of Medicine. There are bound to be many advantages which will accrue to the generations of students who will reside here, and to the cause of medicine generally. The corporate life which will be possible here will, I am sure, prove a great asset, and I share the hope, which has just now been so fervently expressed by Mr. Prabhashankar Bhatt that, that corporate life will be inspired by a spirit of mutual tolerance in which communal strife will find no place.

For many years past you have realised the need for improved residential accommodation, and I am particularly glad that Sir Temulji Nariman, who agitated the question some 28 years ago and who laid the foundation-stone of this building, is present here to-day to assist at its opening.

RED LETTER DAY.

Everyone here present will be feeling full of gratitude to the Trustees of the late Mr. Ramchandra Bhatt's estate for coming to your aid and providing this Hostel. I can well understand that this must be a red letter day, as he has told us, for Mr. Prabhashankar Bhatt. The philanthropy of his late father was great and varied, and from to-day it has a permanent memorial in this building. In my opinion the funds of his Trust could have been put to no better purpose. Mr. Prabhashankar Bhatt may feel well assured that he has carried out his father's wishes in a fitting manner and has perpetuated his name in a way which will bring blessings on his father's memory for generations to come.

And, too, Mr. Prabhashankar Bhatt and his co-Trustee, Mr. Natvarlal Desai, who have not only increased the original sum by nearly a lakh of rupees but who have devoted much time and attention to the planning and construction of the building, may feel well content with the result, which their generosity and their labour has now achieved.

ORIGINAL APPEAL.

I must also refer to those who in 1935, at the suggestion of the then Surgeon-General, decided to help themselves as Government were unlikely to be able to provide the necessary funds. I think it must be true that the present successful achievement must, in no small degree, be attributed to the appeal which was issued early in 1936, and that the generous action of the Trustees of the late Mr. Ramchandra Bhatt was not, as Col. Bhatia has said, only a piece of good fortune, but was also a reward for their faith and enterprise.

Ladies and gentlemen, I offer my warmest congratulations to Mr. Bhatt and to the architect and builders and workers, and, in fact, to all those associated with him in this enterprise, on the speed and excellence with which this Hostel has been designed and completed. It has given me great pleasure to declare the Hostel open. May the Ramchandra Bhatt Hostel long serve the purpose for which it has been founded, may it bring honour to the name which it bears, and may it support and inspire the lives of those, who will dwell within its walls and who make it their life's aim to work for the health of their fellow-men.

EXPLOITATION OF IGNORANT MASSES

Minister Kidwai's Challenge To Muslim Leaguers

JELALABAD (U.P.), Dec. 1.

"The Muslim League is enjoying the support of Hindu aristocracy. The fight between the Congress and the Muslim League is not one between Hindus and Muslims but one between the poor and the rich", declared the Hon. Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai, Revenue Minister, U. P. Government, in the course of a speech in the Muzaffarnagar District Political Conference held here.

The Minister added that mischievous propaganda was being carried out by interested Muslim Leaguers in order to take advantage of the ignorance of the masses.

He asked the audience to think over the measures already taken by the Congress Governments and find out which of them were beneficial to Hindus alone and harmful to Muslims.

Continuing he said:—

"The Muslim Leaguers held out many promises when they approached voters. But after entering the Legislature they have forgotten those promises and are looking after their own interests.

"The Muslim masses must therefore tell the Leaguers frankly that they are with the Congress which is fighting for the cause of the poor."—United Press.

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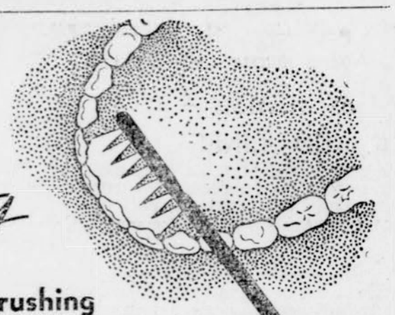

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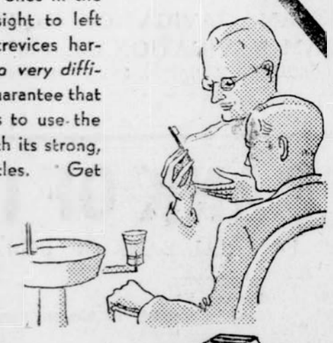

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Congress Ministers And Public Grievances

WHERE TO SEND PETITIONS AND LETTERS

Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

In Press Note No. P-126, dated the 26th August 1937, issued by the Director of Information, the present Government while acknowledge their appreciation of the trust shown in them by the public as evidenced by the petitions and letters addressed direct to the Ministers, stated that the volume of communication directly received by them rendered it impossible for them to pay adequate attention to all the representations made. The public were, therefore, requested to place their grievances, in the first instance, befohe the local officials who are primarily responsible and also to seek, in the usual course, the help of the local Assembly and Council Members. It was only in the event of their failing to obtain satisfaction that the public were advised to approach Government through the Secretaries of the Departments concerned Government also directed separately that their officers should dispose of all petitions and memorials received from the public as expeditiously as possible

SUGGESTIONS TO PUBLIC

It has been noticed, however, that the number of applications which continue to be received by the Ministers is still very large, rendering it very difficult to pay proper attention to them Government consider that the number would be appreciably reduced if the Petition Rules of Government published in Government Notification, General Department, No. 5528, dated the 26th July 1913, were strictly observed. They desire particularly to invite attention to the following points:—

(1) Petitions which are 'unsigned' will be disregarded.

(2) Petitions will not be attended to regarding any matters which properly fall within the jurisdiction of courts;

(3) Government will not consider a petition unless they are satisfied that the petitioner has already applied to the Chief local authority or officer. If the petitioner is dissatisfied with this authority, the petition should then be made to the controlling authority (by whom the local officer is concerned) before Government are addressed.

(4) Government will not entertain an appeal from a person in the employment of a Local Board, a Municipality or any other local body in respect of any action or decision affecting the terms of his employment.

(5) Applications for employment in the service of Government or of local bodies should be addressed to the proper officer or authority concerned and not to Government.

Dispute Over Expulsion From Club

Alleged High-Handedness Of Managing Committee

The notice of motion taken out by Dattatraya J. Pathare and others in their suit filed against Madhusudan D. Raote and others came up for hearing before Mr. Justice Blackwell at the High Court.

The dispute arose from a resolution passed by the defendants as members of the Managing Committee of the Kshatriya Union Club, Dadar, suspending the plaintiffs from membership of the Club.

By this suit the plaintiffs claimed a declaration that the said resolution was null and void.

It was stated that for some time past the defendants had been acting in a high-handed and malicious manner against the plaintiffs. They had been accepting applications for membership from persons who had promised to support them, while those proposed by the plaintiffs and their friends had been rejected.

The Secretary of the Club, by his letter dated August 6, 1938, informed the plaintiffs that at the general meeting held previously they had behaved in a rowdy manner and unless they desisted from such conduct in future, the Managing Committee would be compelled to take disciplinary action against them.

The plaintiffs later received another letter from the Secretary stating that the Managing Committee had passed a resolution to take disciplinary action, and warning them that if they entered the club premises at any meeting, they would be dealt with according to law.

This resolution, the plaintiffs submitted, was not passed bonafide and was "ultra vires".

THE DEFENCE

The defendants denied the allegations. They stated that the plaintiffs who were hostile to the Managing Committee, had been creating trouble since 1933 and behaving in a rowdy manner at several meetings of the Club, and though they were warned, they had persisted in such conduct. The defendants, therefore, had no alternative but to take action under the rules of the Club.

At the hearing of the notice of motion, the parties came to terms, and a consent decree was passed in the suit, under which the plaintiffs stated that they had never behaved in a rowdy manner in the past and declared that they had no intention of doing so in future.

It was agreed, among other things, that the resolution objected to by the plaintiffs should be cancelled, and the 188 applications for memberships which had been rejected should be reconsidered on their merits.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN).

During the last week-end the second round of the Bombay East Indian Association Cricket Tournament, run under the auspices of the Young Men's Parish Association, Sahar was played on Danda Green, Bandra. The match was played between the Rest Ranwar Club and the Pali Club, both of Bandra. The game proved very interesting as both the teams had to struggle for runs. The Pali Club winning the toss elected to bat and were only able to put up a score of 72 runs, H. D'Souza being the highest contributor by 17. To this the Rest Ranwar Club replied with a poor score of 35 runs, the only man reaching double figures was R. D'Souza 13. The credit for the day goes to the good bowling feat performed by Walter D'Penha of the Pali Club, who captured 6 wickets for 13 runs.

TO-MORROW'S MATCH.

To-morrow will be played the third round of this tournament. The match is between the Young Men's Parish Association, Sahar, and the Kantiwadi Scheme XI, Bandra. As both the teams are said to be very strong a tough fight is expected and some good cricket may be witnessed. The match will be played at Danda Green and is scheduled to start at 11 a.m.

CHIMBAI ANNUAL PERFORMANCE.

The Chimbai Fisherfolks Dramatic Union which holds its annual performance on St. Andrew's Day, is staging it to-morrow at **5-30 p.m. in St. Andrew's Church** compound.

The programme consists of a a long list of variety entertainment with a specially composed Marathi farce which has a wonderful moral. There are songs and duets with a sketch in English.

DUSTBINS AT SANTA CRUZ.

The other day I happened to go round the Santa Cruz area and was surprised to notice that most of the dustbins placed near residental dwellings were overfull with garbage which was being feasted upon by ownerless dogs.

Passing the dustbin I was greeted with a smell that nearly upset whole system.

Who is responsible for such situations? You may blame the scavanger staff, but I do not lay the full blame on them. In my opinion I think it is nearly lack of proper supervision. This lack comes first from the high authorities who I doubt ever go round the areas at least once in six months.

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He wished the Congress candidates of Bhuleshwar Constituency all success.

Sjt. Shamaldas Gandhi emphasised the necessity of sending Congress Party in a majority to the Corporation. Only Congress, he said, had the requisite strength to deliver goods.

Sjt. Soonderdas Morarji pointed out that the Bhuleshwar Division was done the greatest honour by Congress in running all the seven seats allotted to that Division. It was their duty to justify their confidence.

ELECTION OFFICE FOR BHULESHWAR

Congress Leaders' Appeal To Bombay Civic Voters

(Issued from the Congress House).

Amidst a large gathering of the Municipal voters of Bhuleshwar Division an election office of the Congress propaganda was opened in Jhaveri Bazar on Friday afternoon.

Sjt. Nagindas T. Master, Vice-President of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee, performde the opening ceremony and Sjt. S. K. Patil, Sjt. Samaldas Gandhi, Sjt. Sunderdas Morarji and others explained to the people why Congress was seeking their suffrage.

Sjt. Nagindas T. Master observed that Bhuleshwar Division was the heart of the Congress organisation in the City and that Ward had never failed Congress on any occasion. He was sure that even this time all Congress candidates would be returned in thumping majority.

Sjt. S K Patil, then expressed his satisfaction at the earnestness with which the Congress workers in this constituency had started the election work. Civic election was regarded more or less as a local affair not worthy of that consideration which was usually bestowed upon a political election. This was a very wrong attitude to adopt. When the Congress officially ran a ticket, it was the duty of every Congress-minded voter to go and vote for Congress candidates only. The scheme of Swaraj as envisaged by the Congress could not be complete until Congress controlled all the effective units of administration.

As a Congressman speaking to his fellow Congressmen in this great City, he would urge the immediate necessity of closing up their ranks in every sense of that expression. Congress in power had opened new questions and new difficulties which they had to surmount with courage and determination.

The Municipal voters in the City of Bombay must see to it that the Congress was returned to the Corporation in a great and effective majority so that every promise in the Congress Manifesto would be an accomplished fact. He had no doubt in his mind what the verdict of the ballot box was going to be.

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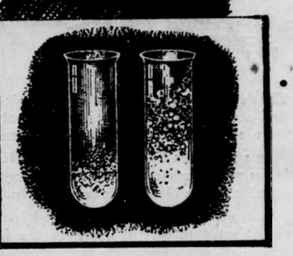

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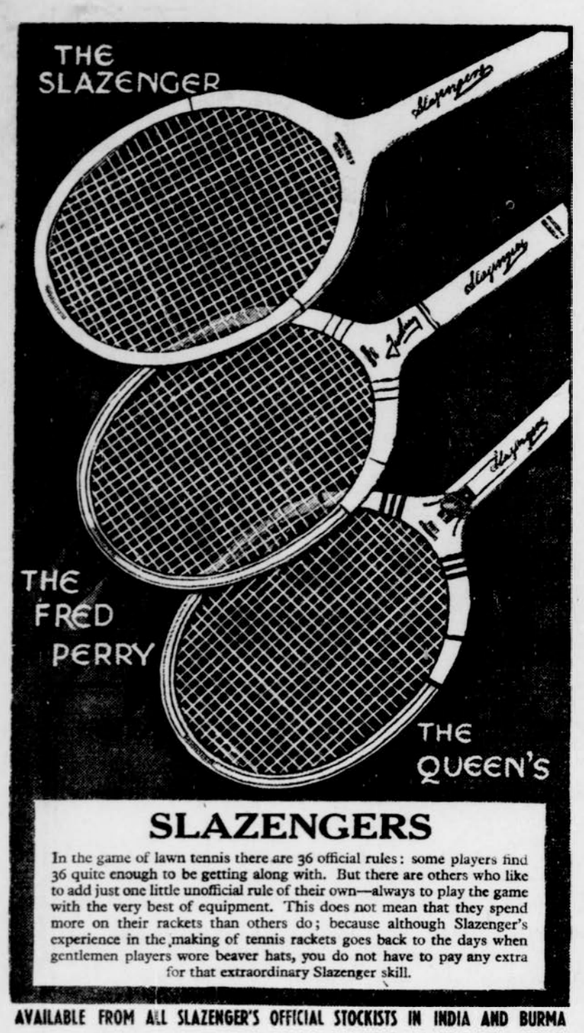

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WEEKLY MARKET REVIEWS

(From Our Special Correspondent).

BOMBAY, Dec. 2.

MONEY

Money was in better demand, day to-day loans being quoted at 1|2 per cent. The improvement in demand was in sympathy with Calcutta where Call funds were placeable at 1 per cent. The increased demand is also reflected in the statement of the Reserve Bank of India, made upto 25th November 1938, which records a decline of Rs. 451.02 lacs in Banks Deposits, while Other Deposits are also down by Rs. 10.54 lacs. Government Deposits with the Bank show an increase of Rs. 276.64 lacs, whereas Loans and Advances to Government under "Ways and Means" are down by Rs. 193 lacs, the total outstanding under this head now being Rs 11 lacs. The statement of the Imperial Bank of India of the same date reveals an increase of Rs. 174.36 lacs in Investments, while the Cash balance of the Bank has declined by Rs. 267.76 lacs to Rs. 9.72 crores. Advances by the Bank record an increase of Rs. 83.14 lacs, whilst Fixed Deposits have declined by Rs. 11.64 lacs. Tenders to Government for three months' Treasury Bills amounted to Rs. 2.65 crores, of which Rs. 2 1|2 crores were accepted at an average rate of Rs. 1-10-4 per cent. per annum, which is a record high rate for the current year, the highest discount rate obtained so far being Rs. 1-9-9 per cent. Maturities amounted to Rs. 2 crores against renewals of a like amount. The rate for intermediate during the current year has further been reduced from Rs. 99-10-3 to Rs. 99-9-6, while intermediates to the extent of Rs. 3,75,000 were accepted during the week Term money rates ranged between 1-1|4 and 1-1|2 per cent. for three months and 1-1|2 and 1-3|4 per cent. for six months.

GILT-EDGED

Gilt-edged market was dull throughout the period under report and little fresh business was reported. Owing to uncertain political situation, investors preferred to hold aloof from the market, whereas speculative interest in 3-1|2 per cent. Rupee Paper was also on the wane, the quotation ranging between Rs. 98-7 and Rs. 98-5. 3 1|2 per cent. India Sterling Stock in the London market declined mid-week from £91-1|4 to £90-3|4, but at the close was somewhat better at £90-7|8. There was a complete dearth of inquiry among other redeemable loans and most quotations remained almost unchanged during the week; 2-3|4 per cent. 1946-52 loan was quoted at Rs. 99-8, 3 per cent. 1941 bonds at Rs. 102-13 and 3 per cent. 1951-54 loan at Rs. 101-8 all through. 3-1|2 per cent. 1947-50 loan was virtually pegged around Rs. 105-4, 4 per cent. 1943 bonds around Rs. 108-5 and 4-1|2 per cent. 1955-60 loan around Rs. 119. 4 per cent. 1960-70 loan changed hands at Rs. 111-1 and 5 per cent. 1945-55 (tax-free) loan at Rs. 116-10. 5 per cent. 1939-44 loan closed unchanged at Rs. 102-4, 5 per cent. 1940-43 loan at Rs. 106 and 3 per cent. 1963-65 new loan at Rs. 98-2.

EXCHANGE

Sterling exchange continued to be steady throughout the week, sellers of spot T.T. quoting 1s. 5-29|32d. and buyers 1s. 5-15|16d. Towards the close, the market firmed up fractionally on improved demand for money and sellers occasionally quoted 1s. 5-59|64d. The forward market was inclined to be quieter and banks were not inclined to deal for deliveries beyond March or April, 1939, except against cover. Some showing of merchandise export bills in outside market was reported.

Among the foreign exchanges in London, sterling continued to be offered against the dollar during the first half of the week and the Sterling-Dollar Cross-Rate touched 462.62 cents on Monday against the opening-level of 464.87 cents. Country-wide labour trouble in France and disturbing political news from Central Europe were partly responsible for the decline. On Tuesday, however, the Sterling improved sharply, the Sterling|Dollar Rate advancing during the course of the day from 464.87 to 466.06 cents. The improvement was maintained uptill the close when the rate was 468 15 cents. The appreciation of the Sterling in terms of Dollar was partly due to unconfirmed rumours about a devaluation of the dollar in terms of gold. The premium on three months' forward dollars gradually declined from 1.81 cents to 1.59 cents at the finish. The Sterling|Franc Rate, after opening at frs. 178.75, kept steady around that level till Monday, but declined sharply towards the close to frs. 178.32 on the labour trouble in France having settled down. The discount on three months' forward delivery narrowed consistently from frs. 2.625 to frs 1.18 at the close. The belga, the guilder and the lira also depreciation in terms of sterling, the quotations moving up from the opening levels of 27.40-1|2, 8.52-7|8 and 38.25 respectively to 27.57-1|2, 8.57-1|2 and 88.65 at the close. Among the Far Eastern exchanges, the Shanghai dollar fluctuated between 8d. and 8-3|16d. during the week, whilst the yen kept stationary around 1s. 2d. all through.

GOLD

A new record was set up in the gold market during the week, spot gold moving up from Rs. 37-6-3 at the opening to Rs. 37-10-6 on Monday. After mid-week, rates declined in sympathy with the appreciation of the sterling in terms of gold currencies, spot rate being quoted at Rs. 37-6-6 at the close. December settlement was quoted at even rate with spot, whilst January settlement commanded a premium of three pies over spot. Some business in connection with export of gold was booked at the opening, but after mid-week the market ruled well over arbitrage parity partly on bear-covering, but mainly owing to special buying. The total amount absorbed by this source during the past week is estimated at over 60,000 ounces valued at £450,000. Reselling by arbitraguers and option dealers supplied the market. In London, the official quotation for Spot gold touched the record level of 150 shillings per ounce on Saturday last, whereas unofficial dealings were reported to have taken place at 150s. 2-1|2d. on the same day. Later, however, the quotation gradually declined and closed lower at 148s. 6-1|2d. The premium on gold over the dollar arbitrage parity was 1-1|2d. at the opening, then declined to 1d. and was quoted at 1|2d. at the end. Stocks of gold are almost unchanged at 150,000 tolas, and the arrivals from upcountry are estimated at between 12,000 and 15,000 tolas a day. The average daily offtake continues unchanged at 1,500 tolas. Sovereigns were almost neglected, the quotation moving up from Rs. 23-13-3 to Rs. 23-15 mid-week, closing lower at Rs. 23-12 for spot and forward in sympathy with gold. Imports during the week amounted to Rs. 22-473 in gold bullion and coins, whilst last week's shipment to London per s.s. Ranpura is valued at Rs. 9,33,230. The highest and lowest rates touched during the week were: Rs. 37-10-6 and Rs. 37-2-9 for spot and December settlement and Rs. 37-10-9 and Rs. 37-3 for January settlement.

SILVER

Opening steady around Rs. 51-7-6, spot silver moved up to Rs. 51-8-6 in sympathy with steadier advices from London, but on profit-taking sales, the rate soon reacted to Rs. 51-4-6 and after a fractional rise to Rs. 51-6, closed lower again at Rs. 50-12. Silver for delivery during the December settlement was quoted at par with spot, whereas January set ment stood at a discount of two annas under spot. In London. spot silver improved from 20-1/8d. to 20-1/4d. on Tuesday, but later declined and closed at 20-1/16d. Two months' forward delivery was quoted at a discount of 1/2d. during the first half of the week, but the backwardation later widened to 3/4d. at the close. Floating stocks of silver are estimated at about 3,300 bars, while the daily offtake is poor at 15 bars. Imports during the week amounted

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STEEL SHARES PROMINENT ON STOCK EXCHANGE

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to Rs. 27,642 in silver coins, whilst 1,162 bars of silver were shipped to London by the outgoing steamer last week, whereof 141 bars were on private account and 1,021 bars on account of the Deputy Hamalage. The highest and lowest rates touched during the week were: Rs. 51-8-6 and Rs. 50-10-6 for spot and December settlement and Rs. 51-7 and Rs. 50-9 for January settlement

SHARES

The local stock exchange opened steady and firmed up mid-week following encouraging advices from New York where the stock market assumed a healthier tone. Steel shares were again prominent; Tata Iron and Steel Ordinaries, after touching Rs. 320-8 on the opening day, declined mid-week to Rs. 311-8, but made good recovery at the end to Rs. 325-8, whilst Deferreds, after dropping from Rs. 1,535 to Rs. 1,497-8, shot up to Rs. 1,567-8 at the end. In the cotton mill section, movements were comparatively narrow and prices at the finish were somewhat lower than the highest touched; Bombay Dyeings, after an initial drop of about 8 points to Rs. 885, staged a good rally to Rs. 902-8, but reacted and closed at Rs. 887-8, Centuries likewise dropped to Rs. 247 mid-week, and after a sharp rally to Rs. 255-8, closed weak against at Rs. 249-8; Central Indias were offered mid-week at Rs. 236-8, but later found good support at Rs. 244-8, closing lower at Rs. 239-8 on profit-taking Colaba Lands ranged narrowly between Rs. 149 and Rs. 146-8 and Gokaks between Rs. 153 and Rs. 156. Kohinoors declined from Rs. 260-8 to Rs. 256-8 mid-week and after a temporary advance to Rs. 264, relapsed to Rs. 259-8 at the end, whilst New Greats suffered a fall of some nine points to Rs. 225-8 mid-week but later made some leeway at Rs. 227-8 at the end. The Hydro-electric group was fairly steady, but business was on a rather limited scale; Andhra Valleys gained slowly but steadily from Rs. 1,430 to Rs. 1,442-8 and Tata Powers from Rs. 1,305 to Rs. 1,322-8, whilst Bombay Trams were fairly steady around Rs. 124-8 and Tata Hydro around Rs. 158. Bank and Railway sections were almost neglected; Bank of Indias were quoted around Rs. 149 and Central Banks around Rs. 30; Imperial Bank Fully Paids were offered at steadily declining rates, the quotation giving way from Rs. 1,577-8 to Rs. 1,573-8 at the close, while Partly Paids were firmly held around Rs. 384-6. Reserve Banks moved narrowly between Rs. 115-4 and Rs. 114-12. Ahmedabad Prantij Railways changed hands at Rs. 942-8, while Tapti Valleys were in fair request at Rs. 736-4. In the miscellaneous group, Associated Cements were done at varying rates, the quotation moving between Rs. 111 and Rs. 108, whilst Belapurs displayed a good strength at Rs. 184 at the end; Bombay Burmas suffered a decline from Rs. 528-12 to Rs. 518-12, but later recovered some of the lost ground at Rs. 526-4. Scindia Steams, on the other hand, maintained a steady tone during the week around Rs. 20, whilst New Indias were inclined to be offered at Rs. 38-8.

CALCUTTA

The price of hessians for forward delivery moved narrowly between Rs. 7-13 and Rs. 7-12, whilst jute shares ruled dull during the first half of the week, but later a steady tone was discernible under the influence of buying support. The volume of business however was restricted.

Merchant Fined For Causing Nuisance

(From Our Correspondent.)

KALYAN, Dec. 2.

A sensational criminal case came to an end the day before yesterday when the Kalyan Resident Magistrate Mr. P. K. Kharkar convicted Rahimtulla Maganlal Herji, a prominent Khoja Merchant, dealing in hides, of causing a nuisance by keeping four smelling hides within a distance of 100 feet from a municipal street.

The prosecution which was launched by the Kalyan Municipality under the District Municipal Act, resulted as above and the merchant was ordered to pay a fine of Rs. 100. This case has caused a stir in the local merchant class.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 2-12-38.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 75.0 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 30.17 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.99 inches.

For correction of ship's instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

Earthquake Report.—An earthquake shock of slight intensity at its origin about 5090 miles away was recorded by the seismographs at the Colaba Observatory at 7hrs. 63 mts. (I.S.T.) on Thursday the 1st December 1938.

Earthquake Report.—Another earthquake shock of slight intensity at its origin about 1070 miles away with its epicentral region in Afghanistan was recorded by the seismographs at the Colaba Observatory at 23hrs 42 mts. (I.S.T.) on Thursday the 1st December 1938.

All-India Weather

(From Our Correspondent)

POONA, Dec. 2.

The following are the maximum minimum temperature and rainfall figures recorded at various stations during twenty-four hours ending 8 a.m. to-day:—

Station	Temperature Max	Min.	Rainfall Past 24 Hours	Total Since 1st Nov.	Difference to Normal
Agra	75	39	—	—	—0.1
Amraoti	77	59	—	—	—0.5
Akola	87	59	—	—	—0.5
Ahmedabad	85	62	—	—	—0.1
Ajmer	73	42	—	—	—0.2
Ahmednagar	85	57	—	—	—0.6
Ambala	74	42	—	—	—0.3
Allahabad	75	49	—	—	—0.3
Benares	78	45	—	—	—0.3
Bareilly	73	45	—	—	—0.2
BOMBAY	96	68	—	1.1	+0.7
Bangalore	81	60	—	0.1	—2.9
Bhopal	79	45	—	—	—
Baroda	80	52	—	—	—
Belgaum	84	63	—	0.4	—1.3
Bahawalpore	79	35	—	—	—
Bijapur	86	62	—	0.1	—1.1
Bellary	87	64	—	0.1	—2.2
Bhavnagar	85	55	—	—	—0.1
Chittagong	79	55	—	4.4	+2.5
Calcutta	80	56	—	0.1	—0.6
Cuttack	85	58	—	0.1	—1.5
Cawnpore	79	46	—	—	—0.4
Calicut	87	75	—	1.4	—4.1
Colombo	88	72	—	4.0	—8.7
Cheerapunji	64	49	—	3.7	+0.5
Cocanada	81	72	—	10.0	+4.5
Cochin	85	73	0.4	6.3	—0.4
Dehra Dun	74	42	—	0.1	—0.3
Delhi	75	39	—	—	—0.1
Dehra I. Khan	76	36	—	—	—0.2
Darjeeling	46	38	—	0.1	—0.6
Desa	80	49	—	—	—0.1
Dalhousie				0.1	—0.9
Ford Sandeman		88	35	—	—0.3
Gorakhpur	74	—	—	—	—0.2
Hyderabad (Dn.)	86	63	—	—	—1.0
Hyderabad (Sd.)	77	49	—	—	—0.1
Indore	81	49	—	—	—0.5
Jhansi	78	42	—	—	—0.2
Jubbulpore	79	39	—	—	—0.6
Jacobabad					
Jaipur	78	46	—	—	—0.1
Karwar	92	71	—	1.6	—0.1
Karachi	78	56	—	—	—
Kodaikanal	63	48	—	2.8	—3.9
Khandwa	86	49	—	—	—0.5
Lucknow	74	43	—	—	—0.3
Ludhiana	74	36	—	—	—0.1
Lahore	74	36	—	—	—0.1
Lyallpur	75	39	—	—	—0.2
Multan	76	38	—	—	—0.1
Mysore	82	64	—	0.4	—2.3
Madras	85	64	—	0.3	—14.5
Marmagoa	89	75	—	1.0	—
Malegaon	86	55	—	0.1	—0.5
Mussoorie	64	41	—	0.3	+0.2
Mahableshwar	76	58	—	1.3	—0.2
Murree	60	40	—	0.1	—0.7
Mount Abu	67	55	—	—	—0.2
Masulipatam	82	72	—	0.4	—5.4
Mandalay	83	56	—	4.0	+2.0
Mangalore	89	75	—	2.1	—1.1
Meerut					—0.2
Mercara	73	61	—	1.2	—2.1
Nagpur	85	53	—	—	—0.7
Ootacamund	62	47	—	1.0	—4.9
Patna	71	49	—	—	—0.3
Peshawar	73	39	—	0.1	—0.2
Poona	87	58	—	0.1	—0.9
Pachmarhi	72	44	—	0.1	—0.6
Port Blair	85	75	1.2	13.6	+3.2
Quetta	58	31	—	0.3	—
Ranchi	75	40	—	0.2	—0.2
Rawalpindi	70	32	—	—	—0.3
Rangoon	93	73	—	2.9	+7.1
Ratnagiri	93	72	—	2.9	+2.0
Rajkot	85	49	—	—	—0.2
Sialkot	72	40	—	—	—0.1
Srinagar	55	20	—	—	—0.5
Sholapur	88	66	—	—	—1.1
Shillong	60	40	—	4.1	+2.5
Simla	56	45	—	0.7	+0.1
Surat	82	60	—	—	—0.2
Salem	89	69	—	—	—3.8
Trichinopoly	89	71	—	0.6	—5.2
Trivandrum	87	74	—	3.9	—2.9
Vizagapatam	83	71	—	12.1	+8.3

T indicates rainfall of 1 to 4 Cents.

POONA WEATHER

POONA, Dec. 2.

A few falls of rain have occurred in Malabar, Cochin reporting half an inch. There has also been one inch rain in Port Blair. The western disturbance is causing cloud in Northwest India. Night temperatures are markedly below normal in and around East Central India and in Chota Nagpur and North Bengal.

Forecast until the evening of December 3: rainfall may occur locally in North West Frontier and at a few stations in the South of the Peninsula. Isolated thunderstorms are also likely in the belt from Gujarat to West United Provinces.—A. P.

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Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 2-12-1938.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours —.012 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 72.9 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 66.0 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 86.4 deg. 1.0 (below normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 68.3 deg. 1.3 (below normal).

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 67 p.c.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. N.

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 5 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 121 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 16 miles per hour

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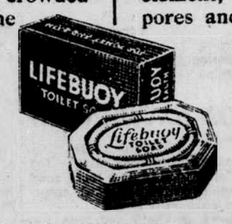

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON FIFTEEN POINTS DOWN

Britain To Buy U. S. Wheat

SHARP APPRECIATION OF FRANC

BOMBAY, December 2.

NEW YORK COTTON

The decline in securities and weakness of Liverpool depressed the sentiment. Prices gave way on increased December liquidation, and the market was without further support.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

The reported agreement of British millers to buy 20,000,000 bushels of U.S.A. wheat caused depressed feeling.

EXCHANGES

The Sterling-Dollar Rate was somewhat easy on selling pressure.

Franc appreciated sharply to 177.81 on good support.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Business to-day was poor with undecided feeling in Home Industrials. Oils and Kaffirs were adversely affected by Continental selling.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

MARCH 1939

New York, Dec 2

Previous closing	8.45
To-day's opening	8.43
Difference	—02
To-day's closing	8.30
Difference	—15

LIVERPOOL COTTON

MARCH 1939

Liverpool, Dec 2

Previous closing	4.83
To-day's opening	4.83
Difference	nil
To-day's closing	4.79
Difference	—04

BROACH EXPECTATION

April May 1938	Rs. 158-0
July August	Rs. 159-8

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, Dec 2

The New York cotton showed easier tendency on weakness of Liverpool while decline in securities also depressed the sentiment.

The trading in March began at 8.43 i.e. two points lower than the last close. Prices fell on lower Liverpool cables and increased December liquidation and with support entirely lacking the price gave way further to 8.40.

BOMBAY COTTON

Late Trading

Bombay, Dec 2

In the local market, Broach April/May advanced to Rs. 159-14 after opening at Rs. 159-10 but closed finally at Rs. 159-6 when New York futures were four points lower.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Dec 2

The following were the opening ranges:—

December (8.67/8.67) 8.66/8.66
January (8.50/8.50) 8.48/8.48
March (8.46/8.45) 8.43/8.42

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Dec 2

American January (4.86) 4.79
American March (4.86) 4.79
Egyptian January (7.65) 7.57
Egyptian March (7.61) 7.53

LONDON COMMODITIES

London, Dec 2

TEAS

Indian Pekoe (0-11) 0-11
Indian Pekoe higher (1-2) 1-2
Ceylon Pekoe (1-0 1/4) 1-0 1/4
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-5 3/4) 1-6 3/4

JUTE

First Marks C. I. F. Continent New Crop December January (£18 5/8 paid and buyers) £18 11/16 paid and value
Dundee December (£22) £22
Lightning December (£20 1/2) £20 1/2

RUBBER

Spot (8 paid and buyers) 8 paid and value
Forward January March (8 1/16 paid and buyers) 8 1/16 paid and value

SEEDS

Castorseed Bombay December January (£10 7/8 sellers) £10 7/8 sellers
Linseed La Plata December (£12 sellers) £12 3/16 sellers
Linseed La Plata December (£10 7/8 sellers) £10 7/8 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal January (£9 15/16 paid and sellers) £10 sellers

METALS

Tin (£215 buyers £215 1/4 sellers. Barely steady) £214 buyers £214 1/4 sellers. Quiet.
Lead (£15 11/16 buyers £15 3/4 sellers. Barely steady) £15 7/16 buyers £15 1/2 sellers. Easier.
Electrolytic Copper (£49 to £50) £48 1/2 to £49 1/2
Iron (112) 112

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Closing Quotations

Liverpool, Dec 2

Liverpool wheat closing quotations [illegible]

EXCHANGES

CROSS RATES

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, Dec 2

Previous closing	4.68 1/8
To-day's opening	4.67 7/16
At the time of New York cotton closing	4.68 3/8

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, Dec 2

Previous closing	4.67.87
To-day's opening	4.68.18
To-day's closing	4.68.31

T. T. LONDON ON PARIS

London, Dec 2

Previous closing	178.19
To-day's opening	178.15
To-day's closing	177.90

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Dec 2

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.68.18 and then eased to 4.67.43 on some selling, but subsequent movements were small.

Franc opened at 178.15 and then improved slightly to 178.13 on official support. Eventually, it appreciated sharply to 177.81 on good buying.

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1-5 15/16) 1-5 15/16
Paris on Bombay (13.306) 13.347
New York on Bombay (34.99) 34.97
Berlin on Bombay (87 1/8) 87
London on Milan (89.00) 88.79
London on Shanghai (0-6 1/8 nominal) 0-6 1/4 nominal
London on Kobe (1-2) 1-2

BULLION

Influx (nil) nil
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Gold (£7-8-6 1/2) £7-8-11
Silver (20 1/16d.) 20 3/16d.

DISCOUNTS

3 months (13/16 to 7/8 per cent) 13/16 to 7/8 per cent.
4 months (13/16 to 7/8 per cent) 13/16 to 7/8 per cent
5 months (7/8 to 7/8 per cent) 7/8 to 7/8 per cent.

LONDON SILVER CABLE

Bombay, Dec 2

The following cable regarding silver market was received in Bombay to-night:—

Speculators bought. Small business. Market steady."

LONDON SILVER

London, Dec 2

Spot	(20 1/16d) 20 3/16d+1/8
Forward	(19 5/16d) 19 3/8d+1/16

LONDON GOLD

London, Dec 2

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£7-8-6 1/2) £7-8-11

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Quotations

Bombay, Dec 2

SILVER

Silver ready	50 15 0
Silver Mazar	50 15 0
Silver Posh	50 13 0

GOLD

Gold ready	37 6 0
Gold Mazar	37 6 0
Gold Posh	37 6 6
Sovereign	23 13 0

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Dec 2

Wheat January	4 0 0
Wheat May	3 3 9
Linseed May	5 0 3

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Dec 2

Liverpool wheat opened steady with March at 5s 5/8d. After early steadiness the market became depressed on reported agreement of British millers to buy 20 million bushels of United States wheat.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Dec 2

Chicago wheat opened steady with December at 0.62 3/4. The market was moderately active on scattered local support and improved foreign demand [illegible]

3½% GOVT. PAPER

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Dec 2

3 1/2 per cent. Government Paper closed at Rs. 98/6 at 5 p.m.

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

Bombay, Dec 2

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed at £90 1/4.

Closing quotations on the previous days were:—

Wednesday, November 23, £91 3/8
Thursday, November 24, £91 1/4
Friday, November 25, £91 1/4
Monday, November 28, £90 3/4
Tuesday, November 29, £90 3/4
Wednesday, November 30, £90 7/8
Thursday, December 1, £90 1/4 Ex Div

INDIAN LOANS

London, Dec 2
3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian (£98 1/2) £98 1/2
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (£90 1/4 ex div) £90 1/4
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (£111 1/4) £111 1/4
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£115 1/4) £115 1/4
4 per cent Indian Stock 1948-53 (£105 3/4) £105 3/4
5 per cent Indian 1942-47 (£107 1/2) £107 1/2
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1945/59 (£101 1/2) £101 1/2

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent Australian Loan 1945-70 (£103 3/8 ex div) £103 1/4

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£71 1/4 ex div) £71 1/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£99 3/4) £99 5/8
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£103) £103
5 per cent Funding Loan (£108 3/4) £108 3/4
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£99 1/4) £99 1/8
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£107 7/8) £107 7/8

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Dec 2

The London stock exchange was generally quiet owing to lack of fresh news.

Giltedged securities remained quiet and uninteresting. Three and half per cent quoted at £90 1/4 i.e. unchanged from the last closing.

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (17-3) 17
Motors and Spencer Ordinary (57-6) 56-10 1/2
Hydro Electric (dol 4 3/4) dol 4 3/4
Elec Music Industry (11-4 1/2) 11-4 1/2
Princhin Johnson (25-7 1/2) 25-7 1/2
Imperial Chemical (31-4 1/2) 31-1 1/2
Woolsworth New Ordinary (58) 58
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates 1930 (£19) £19 1/2
Dunlop Rubber (24-0) 24-0
Unilever Ordinary (37-6) 37-6
Ford Motors (17-4 1/2) 17-4 1/2
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£37 3/4) £37 1/4
British American Tobacco Ordinary (100-0) 100-0
Carreas A (£8 1/4) £8 3/8
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (132-6) 132-6
P. and O. S. N. Company Deferred (22-9) 22-3
Distillers (91-6) 91-6
Bredford Dyes (3-1 1/2) 3-1 1/2
British Celanese (3-6) 3-9
J and P Coates Ordinary (36-10 1/2) 36-10 1/2
Courtaulds Ordinary (29-4 1/2) 29-1 1/2
Fine Cotton Spinners (2-6) 2-6
Vickers Limited Ordinary (23-10 1/2) 23-10 1/2
Inter Nickels (dol 57) dol 56 3/8
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary (46-10 1/2) 46-10 1/2

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (16-6) 16-10 1/2
Donaro Tea (36.3) 36.3
Empire of India (23-1 1/2) 23-9

JUTE SHARES

Barnagore (£9) £9

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (26-9) 26-9
Gula Kelampong (23-1 1/2) 23-1 1/2
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (28-9) 28-9

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (40-7 1/2) 41-3
Burma Corporation (9-0) 9-0
Rio Tintos (£14 1/2) £14
East Rand Proprietors (56-10 1/2) 55-7 1/2
Rand Mines (£9) £8 5/8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£16 7/8) £16 3/8
Associated Portland Cement (75) 75
Trinidad Leaseholds (91-3) 89-4 1/2
Sub Nigel (£12 3/8) £12 1/8
Spring Mines Split Shares (31-10 1/2) 30-7 1/2
Union Corporation (£8 1/2) £8 1/4

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (22-6) 21-10 1/2
Anglo Iranian (95-0) 93-1 1/2
Burma Oil (86-10 1/2) 85-7 1/2
Mexican Eagle (5-1 1/2) 4-10 1/2
Shell Transport (85) 82-6
Royal Dutch (£38) £37

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary (£27 7/8) £27 7/8
London Midland and Ordinary (£12 1/8) £12 1/8
London North Eastern Def. (£2 1/4) £2 1/4
Southern Def (£13) £13
London Transport 5 per cent (£118) £118
London Transport 'C' (£78 1/4) £78 1/4

WOOL SALES

The demand chiefly from Home trade with a fairly good selection. Sold well.
Greasy inferior to superior:
Lower (0-7 3/4) 0-7 1/2
Higher (1-3 1/4) 1-5 1/4
Scoured inferior to superior:
Lower (0-11) 0-11
[illegible]

EASIER TREND ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Sterling Erratic

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, Dec 2

On the Stock Exchange, French selling of favourite Kaffirs and Oils for repatriation purposes caused generally easier trend, which was accentuated by the normal end of account liquidation. Occasional steady spots were noted, particularly Tobaccos which were helped by Carreras' record profits.

Foreign Exchange markets were active the French Franc meeting very heavy buying. Elsewhere, Belga was weak on fears of a cabinet crisis, while sterling was erratic needing occasional steadying intervention by control.

Wall Street opened steady and was then easier.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

Speculatives Slightly Easier

CALCUTTA, Dec 2

In the share market, Jutes, although ruled steady, business was somewhat limited. Coals were rather dull and neglected. Teas were featureless, only solitary deal in Dhunseri taking place at Rs. 2/6. In the miscellaneous section, speculative issues were again a shade easier to-day in sympathy with weaker American market. Sugars were kept steady. Government securities were steady and unchanged.

The following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities: 2 3/4 per cent loan 1948/52 99/9; 3 1/2 per cent paper 98/7; 3 per cent new loan 1963/65 98/2; four per cent loan 1960/70 111/2.

Banks: Central 30/8; Reserve Bank 114/8; Imperial Fully paid 1579/8.

Railway: Burdwan Cutwa 92 small lot

Cotton: New Victoria pref 4/4.

Coals: Bhalgora 4/4; Borrea ord 12/4; Burrakur pref 136; Mundulpoor 9/10; North Damuda 5; Samla 1/8 small odd lot.

Jutes: Adamjee ord 10; Birla 14/8; Hooghly pref 16/6; Howrah 50/7; Kamarhatty 464; Kanknarrah 343 small lot; National 20; Reliance 57; pref 155 ex div.

Miscellaneous: Burma Corpn 6/2; Consolidated Tin 6/10; Indian Copper 2/4; Tavoy Tin 1/11; Dalmia Cement Pref 96; Alkali and Chemical pref 114/8; Bengal Telephone ord 18/6; Muttra Electric 10; U P Electric 167; Braithwaite and Co 7; Burn and Co 6 per cent pref 125; Indian Galvanising 19/7; Indian Iron 31/10; Marshalls 1/14; Steel Corpn ord 9/9; Steel Corpn pref 38; B I Corpn ord 3/1; small odd lot; Pref 157; Indian Cables 10; British Burma Petroleum 3/14; Indo Burma Petroleum pref 127; Titaghur paper B ordy 14/6; 2nd pref 105/8; Midnapore zemindary 76; India General Navgn ord 98 small lot; Buland 14/8; Champaran 13/11; Raza 14/2 c div.

Tea: Shunderi 2/6.

Debentures: 3 1/4 per cent 1956/66

Howrah Bridge 103/4.—A. P.

KARACHI PRODUCE MARKET

Karachi, Dec 2

To-day's closing quotations:—

Sind Cotton January	15	14	3
March	15	14	6
Punjab January	13	5	9
March	13	6	0
Desi American January	18	7	0
March	18	6	9
Tone: Firm.			
Wheat December	20	15	6
January	21	1	6
March	21	6	6
July	23	0	3
Tone: Steady.			
Gram December	29	1	6
January	23	12	6
July	24	12	0
Toria December	36	0	6
February	34	13	6
March	35	9	6

Above markets remain opened from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. owing to arrival of the Congress President.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Dec 2

General Motors (dol 49 1/4) dol 48 3/4
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 34 1/4) dol 33 1/8
U S Common New Stock (dol 64 5/8) dol 63
U S Steel Preference (unquoted) unquoted

LONDON RUBBER

London, Dec. 1.

Smoked sheets standard ribbed per lb. sellers 8 1/16

NEW YORK COFFEE

New York, Dec. 1.

Fair Rio Coffee No. 7 quality ..... unchanged

LONDON SPELTER

London, Dec. 1.

Spelter hard (Indian Brand) F.O.B. ..... 12 to 14 1/2

BAND AT ESPLANADE

By kind permission of W. R. G. Smith, Esq., C.I.E., Commissioner of Police, the Band of the Bombay City Police will play a programme of music at the Esplanade Bandstand to-day (Saturday) from 5-45 p.m. to 7-45 p.m. (S.T.).

BIRTH CONTROL V. BRAHMACHARYA

Under the auspices of the Ghatkopar Sahitya Sabha, a debate has been arranged to-day (Saturday) at 8-30 p.m. at Gurukul Gujarati Shala, (Nowroji Lane) on "That scientific birth-control is more necessary and practicable than Brahmacharya (Self-control)."

GANDHARVA MAHA VIDYALAYA

The weekly concert will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9-30 p.m. in the Vidyalaya, Benham Hall Lane.

Socialist Party Meeting Postponed

The Secretary of the Gujarat Congress Socialist Party, Dohad, writes:—

The annual meeting of the Gujarat Congress Socialist Party which was to be held at Borsad on December 3 and 4 has been postponed.

THE MIGRATING JEWS

(Continued from page 6)

soon adopted by all other European nations excepting Russia, Rumania, Finland, Spain and Portugal where the old mediaeval conditions prevailed with the beginning of the century.

In England it was in 1858 that the Jews were permitted to become members of the Parliament. The difficulties in the way of a Jew becoming a scholar or a fellow in an English University were removed as late as 1870 by the University Test Act. Since then the political and civic position of the Jews in England does not at all differ from that of the persons of other creeds. In all colonies as well as in the United States, the Jews were politically equal with persons belonging to other creeds.

After the Great World War and in the wake of the great political upheavals that took place in Europe the social contents of the sufferings of the Jews became in importance subordinate to the political and economic disabilities. We find the Democratic regime putting them on equal footings with other citizens in all countries of the world except in Germany under the Nazi regime. Apart from this hurried running away for life, the Jews were attracted towards America since long. The fresh land of America offered ample scope for activity to a race by nature enterprizing and industrious.

Central and Eastern Europe

Nevertheless, the Jewish population is found concentrated in Central and Eastern Europe, remarkably in the frontier districts of ancient Austria, Hungary and Russia. In the quadrilateral region extending from the Baltic to the Black Sea and having for its boundary the towns of Leningrad, Riga, Vienna, and Rostov-on-the Don, we have more than 8 million Jews, which amounts to one half of the Earth's total Jewish population. They are conspicuous in towns like Alexandria, Cairo, Tripoli, Tunis, Gibraltar, Salonika, Constantinople etc. Palestine holds 404000 Jews, one-third of its population and in Morocco their strength is about 200,000 strong.

In France by 1937 there were not less than 280,000 Jews. In Italy they are only 52,000. The British Isles have 340,000 Jews.

In Germany the census of 1905 showed 607,862 Jews: 409,501 of whom lived in the Kingdom of Prussia. Before the 'Anschluss' the strength of the Jewish population was 420,000 as compared to 502,000 Jews in 1933. The Nazi Regime therefore was responsible for the forced departure of 80,000. Austria had 200,000 Jews in 1937. Therefore, with its annexation to the Reich, Germany's total Jewish population came to be 600,000 individuals.

(To be Continued.)

Bombay Fire And General Assurance

Certain alterations in the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company necessitated by the recent amendment of the Indian Companies Act and those necessitated by the termination of the Managing Agency contract with the Bombay Assurance Association Ltd., were approved and adopted at an extraordinary general meeting of the Bombay Fire and General Assurance Co., Ltd., held on Friday afternoon with Sir Hormasji C. Dinshaw in the Chair.

BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY.

The 21st Convocation of the Benares Hindu University for conferring degrees will be held at 2-30 p. m. on Saturday, (December 17, 1938). The Vice-Chancellor will preside and Dr. Sir S. Radhakrishnan, will deliver the convocation address.

Candidates for degrees are requested to inform the Registrar on or before 9th inst. of their intention to attend the Convocation in person and to be present at the University Office at 11 A.M., on the Convocation day. No candidate, who has not sent in prior intimation by December 9, 1938, will be admitted to the Convocation. Academical robes will be supplied on payment of a fee of Rs.3/-.

Prize For Muslim Player In Final Round

Messrs. M. H. Khambaty and Co., of 67 Kerrawala Building, Lohar Chawl, Bombay, write:—

"We offer as a humble present a beautiful Electric Chandelier, to any Muslim player, who scores a century in the final of the present Pentangular Cricket Tournament. In the event of more than one player, scoring a century, the player with the highest score will be entitled to the Prize.

MOTION PICTURE SOCIETY OF INDIA

The Motion Picture Society of India, Bombay, writes:—

Sir Rahimtoola Chinoy has accepted the presidentship of our Society.

It may be recalled that same was rendered vacant as a result of the sad and sudden demise of the previous president, the late Sir Phiroze Sethna.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVED

Bombay, Dec 2

L Edwards ss Weissenfels of 4852 reg tons, Captain F Dewall arrived from Bremen via Hamburg, Antwerp, Rotterdam and Port Said with passengers and general cargo.

K Nixon ss City of Benares of 6712 reg tons, Captain A Lee arrived from Karachi with passengers and general cargo.

Anchor Line ss Circassia of 6580 reg tons, Captain W Gemmell arrived from Karachi with passengers and general cargo.

F F Campbell ss City of Auckland of 5287 reg tons, Captain H G Jenkins arrived from Norfolk via New York, Port Said, Aden and Karachi with general cargo.

P and O S N ss Strathallan of 14134 reg tons Captain J H Biggs arrived from Brisbane via Australian Ports and Colombo with passengers and general cargo.

SAILED

K Nixon ss City of Baneras of 6712 reg tons, Captain A Lee sailed for Marseilles, Plymouth, Liverpool and Glasgow via Port Said with passengers and same bottom cargo.

P and O S N ss Narkunda of 9429 reg tons, Captain W D C Smith sailed for Sydney via Colombo and Australian Ports with passengers local and same bottom cargo.

B I S N ss Varsova of 1955 reg tons, Captain W J Clarke sailed for Basra via Karachi and Persian Gulf Ports with passengers and local cargo.

Anchor Line ss Circassia of 6580 reg tons, Captain W Temmell sailed for Marseilles and Liverpool via Aden with passengers and same bottom cargo.

N Y Kaisha ss Tango Maru of 4258 reg tons, Captain C Ishida sailed for Karachi via Cutch Kundla with local and same bottom cargo and passengers.

T Morrison ss Jehangir of 2157 reg tons, Captain H Cranby sailed for Jeddah via Karachi, Cutch, Mandvi, Persian Gulf Ports and Red Sea Ports with pilgrims and local cargo.

STEAMERS IN DOCKS

ALEXANDRA DOCK

Bombay, Dec 2

2 City of Auckland 5288 Calcutta 4-12 F F Campbell
4 Tango Maru 4238 Karachi 2-12 N Y Kaisha.
7 City of Canterbury 5290 Karachi 9-12 K Nixon
9 Weissenfels 4852 N F N F L Edwards
14 Treuenfels 5196 Antwerp 6-12 L Edwards

VICTORIA DOCK

3 Vita 1955 Karachi 3-12 M M
12/13 Orna 4030 Calcutta 3-12 M M

PRINCE'S DOCK

B Jehangir 2157 Jeddah 2-12 T Morrison
P Hashemi 298 tons N F N F S Hassum
M Akbar 2479 N F N F T Morrison
F El Madina 1628 Jeddah 3-12 Scindia S N
A Jalamohan 3146 Rangoon 4-12 Scindia S N
C/R Jalarashmi 2681 Madras 7-12 Scindia S N
D/E Haideri 912 Bhavnagar 2-12 S Hassum
N/O Jalamani 2346 N F N F Scindia S N

Steamers Expected

FROM LONDON

Viceroy of India 5-12-38 P and O
Narkunda 1-12-38 P and O S N
Carthage 8-12-38 P and O S N
Bhutan 3-12-38 P and O S N
Comorin 15-12-38 P and O S N
Nagpore 21-12-38 P and O S N
Rajputana 22-12-38 P and O S N

FROM HULL

Kioto 2-12-38 J Finlay

FROM LIVERPOOL

City of Canterbury 28-11-38 K Nixon
Cilicia 9-12-38 Anchor Line

FROM HAMBURG

Aagtekerk 23-12-38 L Edwards
Trifels 14-12-38 L Edwards

FROM GOTHENBURG

Simla 16-12-38 L Edwards
Sumatra 9-12-38 L Edwards

FROM NEW YORK

Atlanta City 30-11-38 M M
Pres Monroe 22-12-38 F F Campbell
City of Elwood 9-12-38 L Edwards
City of Bath 28-11-38 F F Campbell

FROM TRIESTE

Conte Rosso 19-12-38 L Triestino

FROM GENOA

Conte Biancamano 5-12-38 Lloyd Triestino.
Carignano 4-12-38 L Triestino

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

Canton 24-12-38 P and O S N
Ryfuku Maru 29-11-38 O S Kaisya
Conte Verde 10-12-38 L Triestino
Nagato Maru 14-12-39 N Y Kaisha
Tango Maru 29-11-38 N Y Kaisha
Kawato Maru 5-12-38 O S K
Jademoor 14-12-38 O S Kaisha

FROM RANGOON

Jalapalaka 5-12-38 Scindia S N

FROM BASRA

Varela 3-12-38 M M

FROM SYDNEY

Strathallan 2-12-38 P and O S N
Strathmore 16-12-38 P and O S N
Naringa 6-12-38 M M

FROM CALCUTTA

Jalavijaya 2-12-38 Scindia S N

FROM DURBAN

Karanja 10-12-38 M M
Tairea 24-12-38 M M

FROM KARACHI

Vita 8-12-38 M M
Wartenfels 1-12-38 L Edwards

Sailing Dates

FOR LONDON

Strathallan 3-12-38 P and O S N
Viceroy of India 10-12-38 P and O S N
Somali 30-12-38 P and O S N
Strathmore 17-12-38 P and O S N
Rawalpindi 10-12-38 P and O S N
Mooltan 31-12-38 P and O S N
Canton 24-12-38 P and O S N

FOR LIVERPOOL

Circassia 2-12-38 Anchor Line
Cilicia 23-12-38 Anchor Line
City of Benares 2-12-38 K Nixon

FOR HAMBURG

Wartenfels 8-12-38 L Edwards
Treuenfels 6-12-38 L Edwards

FOR NEW YORK

City of Auckland 4-12-38 F F Campbell
Pres. Monroe 24-12-38 F F Campbell

FOR TRIESTE

Conte Verde 23-12-38 L Triestino

FOR GENOA

Conte Biancamano 5-1-39 L Triestino

FOR CHINA AND JAPAN

Conte Rosso 19-12-38 L Triestino
Conte Biancamano 5-12-38 L Triestino
Jademoor 28-12-38 O S Kaisha
Lahore 15-12-38 P and O
Bhutan 6-12-38 P and O S N
Rajputana 22-12-38 P and O
Nagato Maru 31-12-38 N Y Kaisya
Carthage 8-12-38 P and O S N
Tango Maru 15-12-38 N Y Kaisha
Kawato Maru 23-12-38 O S Kaisha

FOR CALCUTTA

Orna 3-12-38 M M
City of Auckland 4-12-38 F F Campbell
Carignano 5-12-38 L Triestino

FOR SYDNEY

Strathaird 29-12-38 P and O S N
Comorin 15-12-38 P and O S N

FOR RANGOON

Jalamohan 4-12-38 Scindia S N

FOR BASRA

Barpeta 7-12-38 M M
Varela 8-12-38 M M

FOR DURBAN

Karanja 21-12-38 M M
Takliwa 7-12-38 M M

FOR JEDDAH

Elmadina 3-12-38 Scindia S N
Jehangir 2-12-38 T Morrison
Islami 12-12-38 T Morrison

FOR KARACHI

Tango Maru 2-12-38 N Y Kaisha
Vita 3-12-38 M M
Elephanta 5-12-38 M M
Weissenfels 3-12-38 L Edwards
City of Canterbury 9-12-38 K Nixon

B. P. T. GENERAL LANDING DATES

S S Villarperosa 30-11-38
S S City of Bath 1-12-38
S S City of Canterbury 30-11-38
S S Jalamani 1-12-38
S S Jalarashmi 1-12-38
S S Bhadravati 1-12-38
S S Victoria (boats) 1-12-38
S S Vita 2-12-38
S S Haideri 2-12-38

EXPORTS

S S Truenfels for Hamburg: 3374 bgs gr nut oil cake P Surchand; 1334 bags gr nut oil cake K Prasad; 125 bales cotton raw K Devchand; 14600 bags gr nut oil cake H Rawji.

For Trondheim: 1131 bags gr nut oil cake The Swastik Oil Mills.

For Antwerp: 50 tons manganese ore The Shivrajpur Syndicate; 200 bags scrap brass borings Indian Standard Metal; 15 bales cotton waste C Jairam.

For Rotterdam: 1189 bags linseed oil cake F Shariffbhai; 55 bales cotton fly V P Maskai; 110 bales cotton raw Volkart Bros.

For Halsiniki: 10 cases cardamom seed A P Gupta

For Oslo: 1000 bags gr nut oil cake K Prasad.

S S Bhutan for Seattlewash: 25 cases condiments M M Poonjiaji.

S S Strathallan for London: 37 cases bristles D Abraham; 24 cases bristles B Phillips and Hayley; 211 bales Persian lamb skins with fur Grindlay.

For Antwerp: 55 bales raw cotton The Bombay Co; 182 bales raw cotton Volkart Bros.

IMPORTS

S S Clan Murdoch Agents J Finlay and Co from Liverpool: 149 cases ctn pce goods; 42 cases cotton yarn; 40 kegs muriate/ammonia; 287 kegs dry aniline dyes; 312 coils black stl hoops; 1300 s/bags soda ash; 2488 drums caustic soda; 5934 cases tiles; 85 kegs cardboards; 78 boxes storage batteries; 48 cases lead plates; 51 bundles sau e'ware; 300 bales old newspaper; 50 kegs hydrosulphate of soda; 60 cases iron boot protectors; 43 cases alum circles; 200 drums bleaching powder; 38 cases cycles; 125 bundles y rn sheets; 575 ctns accumulators; 224 cases copper wire; 369 drums lubg oil; 70 cases cond milk; 1000 lse c i shoes; 60 cases blasting gelatine; 50 drums brenthol; 110 cases confy; 100 cases empty tins; 70 cases detinutors; 489 lse pneum covers; 100 pairs stl flanges; 168 cases machinery; 46 casks bleaching poste; 1480 cases gelignite; 38 lse stl axles; 695 cases blasting powder; 58 bundles stl conduit tubes; 46 drums indigo grains.

From Penang: 210 cases gum; 336 slab tin; 304 bags pearl tapioca.

From Colombo: 54 r/cks tea; 80 bdls mattress fibre; 32 covers michelin covers.

'BIDI' WORKERS ON STRIKE

JUBBULPORE, Dec. 2.

About 4,000 workers employed in the Anwarkhan Mahboobkhan's 'bidi' factory declared strike to-day as a protest against further wage-cut. The strikers are also persuading the workers in other 'bidi' factories to do likewise in sympathy.—United Press.

Japanese Budget

TOKIO, Dec. 2.

The Cabinet has approved of budget amounts totalling 215 million sterling, which is an increase of 48 million compared with the present year.—Reuter.

Ex-Civilian Dead

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The death has occurred of Mr. Alexander Marr, I.C.S., ex-Member of the Bengal Executive Council.—Reuter.

Neol Deer Gold Medal

NEW DELHI, Dec. 1.

The Neol Deer Gold Medal for the year 1936 has been awarded to Mr. R. C. Srivastava and Dr. H. D. Sen in consideration of their report relating to large scale experiments on the treatment of Sugar Factory Affluents. —United Press.

Wallace Urges Marketing Quota

NEW YORK COTTON INACTIVE AND NARROW

Spot Cotton Slow And Textiles Inactive

Bombay, Dec. 2.

The market opened steady but inactive and narrow. Trade houses absorbed near month liquidation thinking present premiums high enough while foreign interests took hedges of late months. Spot cotton and textiles were quiet. The undertone of the market was easy. The session closed steady. Mr. Wallace urged farmers to vote for marketing quotas. He further said that the United States should retain its share of the world's exports even if compelled to do somethings it would like to avoid. March opened 8.45 and after advancing to 8.46 declined to 8.43 and the market closed at a decline of 1 to 2 points. Spot cotton prices declined 1 point at 8.95c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was quietly steady and closed at unchanged rates. Spot cotton prices were also unchanged.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

The Liverpool cotton futures market opened unchanged with March 4.85. Improvement in sterling counteracted steady overseas advices. The market was featureless apart from local switching operations. The market closed at a decline of 3 points. Middling American Spot cotton prices closed unchanged.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Giza futures closed 3 to 9 points up and Uppers advanced to 2 to 3 points up.

Messrs. P. Chrystal and Co. state:—

The Liverpool market is due to open to-day about 1 point higher which makes the straddle difference between Liverpool May and Broach A/May Rs. 51-1/2 or 117 points.

The American markets have again been in the doldrums and fluctuations during the past week have been hardly noticeable. Trading has been unusually small for this time of year and again has been largely in the hands of professionals. Tenders against the December contract in New York have been small and were promptly stopped. Much of the trading has been switching from month to month and the spread between near months and the next crop has widened still further. Cloth and yarn markets have been quiet. The only foreign market where fluctuations have been of any note has been the Egyptian market where there has been a further decline especially in the longer stapled varieties. This decline has not been unexpected as prices in Alexandria had been pushed up out of parity with other growths when the crop estimate was reduced a month or two ago.

The Bombay market has been very steady largely on speculative buying and short covering. Once more rumour has been busy regarding the ratio of the rupee to the pound sterling, but so far as we can see in this connection the wish seems to be father to the thought, for there is little likelihood of any alteration in the present value of our currency. On the other hand there has probably been some reason for a steady Indian market for there now seems little doubt that the present crop is going to be several lakhs of bales smaller than last year's. The favourable parity which has existed for some is being reflected in our export figures which are running well ahead of a year ago. Export demand has been smaller recently but spot demand generally has been sufficient to take care of the small arrivals which so far have been received in the interior markets. Indian Mills have been experiencing very dull cloth and yarn markets. Most of them are believed to be well supplied with raw material so that very little business in cotton has been reported.

The Indian crop is definitely short in East Punjab, Sind, Berar Central Provinces and the Cambodia districts. Another rainfall will soon be required in the Western and Coompta areas.

We do not look for any large price movement in the local market but think purchases in quiet market for moderate profits can be recommended.

PRIVATE CABLES

N. Y. March Highest (10 a.m.)	8.46
N. Y. March Lowest (11-02 a.m.)	8.43
Liverpool March highest	4.86
Liverpool March lowest	4.85

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

New York.—In view of crop loan outlook uncertain for next season expect waiting market for the present pending new developments.

New York.—Trade absorbed near month liquidation. Foreign buying distants offsetting hedge selling.

Messrs. Bishwambharlal Maheshwari have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

New York:—

1. Think present premiums near months high enough.

2. Trade buying offsetting hedge selling trading narrow Secretary of Agriculture hinted plan stimulate export business.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Dec. 1.

December	8.67—01
January	8.50
March	8.45—01
May	8.25—02
July	8.01
October	7.70—01
Middling spot	8.95 nominal

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, Dec. 1

December	8.79
January	8.60
March	8.56
Middling spot	8.66

NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 1.

11 a.m. Ranges—	
December	8.66/8.66
January	8.48/8.48
March	8.44/8.44
Noon Call—	
December	8.65
March	8.44

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS

New York, Dec. 1.

	Bales.
Day's receipts at all U.S. Ports	16,000
Day's exports to Great Britain	4,000
Day's exports to the Continent	25,000
Day's exports to China and Japan	3,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Dec. 1.

December	4.83—03
January	4.83—03
February	4.83—02
March	4.83—02
April	4.81—02
May	4.80—01
June	4.78—01
July	4.76—01
August	4.70—01
September	4.65—01
October	4.59—01
November	4.60—01
December	4.61—01
Middling spot	5.20
10-12 a.m. quotations.—	
January	4.86
March	4.85

Egyptian Cotton

Liverpool, Dec. 1.

GIZA—	
Spot	8.08+9.
January	7.62+3.
March	7.58+3.
May	7.58+3.
GIZA No. 2.	
January	7.66+3.
March	7.71+3.
May	7.73+2.
July	7.76+2.
UPPERS—	
Spot	6.35+7.
January	6.20+2.
March	6.23+3.
May	6.25+3.
July	6.27+3.
October	6.16
November	6.04

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, Dec. 1.

SAKEL—	
January	13.87+19
March	14.19+30
May	14.33+22
ASHMOUNI—	
December	10.97+16
February	11.08+19
April	11.15+17
GIZA—	
January	13.79+21
March	13.91+22
May	13.98+23

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—

Dec. 77 Jan. 94 March 99 May 113 July 129 Oct. 126 at Cross Rate 4.68 1/8

Bombay—Liverpool:—

Broach A/M. 1939 160/8—Liverpool May 1939 4.81 Rs. 49 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—Liverpool:—

Broach J/A. 1939 162—Liverpool July 1939 4.77 Rs. 45 7/8 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—New York:—

Broach A/M. 1939 160/8—New York May 8.25 Rs. 35 1/2 at Cross Rate 4.68 1/8.

Bombay—New York:—

Broach J/A. 1939 162—New York July 8.01 Rs. 28 1/4 at Cross Rate 4.68 1/8.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, Dec. 2.

GOVT. SECURITIES

3 1/2 per cent Paper	98/7
4 per cent 1960-70	111/2
5 per cent 1945-55	116/11

BANKS

Bank of Baroda	115/4
Bank of Hindusthan	30
Bank of India	149
Central Bank	90
Imperial Bank F.P.	1577/8
Imperial Bank P.P.	384/6
Indian Overseas Bank	45/8
Reserve Bank	115
Union Bank	5/12

TEXTILES.

Ahmd. New Textiles	510
Ambica	243/12
Arun	228/2
Arvind	1320
Asok	222/8
Bharatkhand	2510
Bombay Dyeing	877/8
Buckingham and Carnatics	203/8
Calico	616/14
Central India	235
Century	242/8
Colaba	146/4
Delhi Cloth and Gen. Mills	400
Elgin	212/8
Gokak	152/8
Hukumchand	188/2
Indore	55
Jubilee	206/14
Khatau Makanji	117/8
Kohinoor	255
Laxmi Cotton	522/8
Madhusudan	200
Marsden	101/4
Morarji	135/14
Mysore	88/12
Nandlal Bhandari	77/4
New Great	223/12
Raipur	710
Rajnagar	225
Sajjan	97/8
Sassoon and Alliance	71
Sholapur	3225
Simplex	77/8
Swadeshi	218/2
Vishnu	120

HYDRO ELECTRICS

Andhra Valley Ord.	1400
Tata Hydro Ord.	155/15
Tata Power Ord.	129

ELECTRICS

Ahmedabad Electrics	139/6
Ajmer Electrics	12/8
Amalgamated	12/4
Bombay Suburban	142/8
Bombay Tram.	123/12
Surat Electrics	172/8

MISCELLANEOUS

Air Services of India	5/8
Alcock Ashdown	344/8
Associated Cements	108/8
Belapur	183/2
Bombay Burma New	183/12
Bombay Burma Old	511/4
Bombay Steam	213/2
Bombay Telephone	82/4
Br. B. Petrol	3/10
Burma Corporation	6/2
Dalmia Cement	9/8
Indian Bleaching	124/6
Industrial Investment Tr.	41/6
Indian Radio Ord.	385/10
Indian Radio Defd.	390
Indian Copper	2/6
Indian Iron	31/7
Mysore Sugar	31/8
Port Canning	74/8
Premier Construction	65/4
Rohtas Industries	25/10
Scindia Steam	19/14
Shivrajpur	52
Tata Oil	47
Tata Steel Ordy.	315/8
Tata Steel Defd.	1517/8

JUTES.

Birla Jute	15/4
Howrah	50/12
Hukumchand	6/8
Kamarhatty	465
Kankanarrah	331
Lawrence	333
Reliance	59

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Following a decline of one point in New York cotton futures, the local market opened to-day at Rs. 160/4 for Broach A/M. delivery and declined to Rs. 160 on scattered selling. Later on there was improved buying and prices advanced to Rs 160/12. But realising appeared again and prices were quoted at Rs. 160/10.

Liverpool market was due to open at 1 point up, but it opened unchanged. The local market was featureless. The market finally closed at 5 p.m. as under:

F. G. M. G.—	
Broach A/M	159 14 0
Broach J/A	161 6 0
Fine M. G.—	
Oomra D/J	146 12 0
Oomra March	146 12...0
F. G. M. G.—	
Bengal D/J	121 4 0
Bengal March	122 4 0

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, Dec 2

Bengal Superfine 129/30 Dec +6 1/2 Jan +5

Bengal Fine 126/27 Dec +4 1/2 Jan +4

Bengal F G 124/25

C P 1 163/65 Dec +15 Jan +14

C P 2 153/54 Dec +8 Jan +7

Arvi 154/55

Amraoti 150/51

Ellichpur 152/54

Berar 151/52 Dec +4 Jan +3

Malkapur 149/50

Khandesh 140/43

Jalna Sailu 145/46

Burwah Sanavad 151/52

Khandwa 151/52

Mathia F G Dec —15 Jan —19

Broach March +2 1/2

Punjab 4 F Dec +26

Punjab 289 F Dec +58

Sindh N T 207/09

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, Dec 2

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

Since 1st Sept

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday	This year	Last year
Khandesh	435	3,445	752
Central India	603	37,701	133
Barsi and Nagar		6,286	2,119
Hyderabad Gaorani		259	320
Berar	401	19,900	6,695
Central Provinces	133	12,320	994
Total Oomras	1,572	79,911	10,994
Dholera	255	40,279	1,905
N W Provinces		335	1,177
Rajputana	465	4,422	52
Sind Punjab	2,877	54,605	68,952
Broach	74	11,394	1,405
Coompta & Dharwar	111	10,129	6,111
Westerns Northerns	51	7,497	727
Cocoanada		1	12
Tinnevelly and Cambodia		1,683	809
American		512	1,024
Egyptian, African and Sudan		102,890	94,481
Comilla, Burma and other sorts		6	258
Total	5,405	313,574	187,908

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 24th Nov

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday	This year	Last year
Europe	3,150	45,160	41,979
Japan and China	1,126	246,157	52,415
Coast Ports		9,602	19,323
Up-country by Rail		75,027	87,784
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan		30,474	3,268
Total	4,276	406,420	204,769

American Cotton Figures

F P Bales	1938-39	1937-38
Receipts to date 1-12-38	2695000	5033000
Receipts yesterday 1-12-38	16000	28000
Exports to date 1-12-38	1615000	2696000
Stock at Ports 25-11-38	3170000	3314000
Stock at Interior Towns 25-11-38	3521000	2499000
Stock at Liverpool 25-11-38	1088000	866000
Visible Supply 25-11-38	8058000	7388000
Quantity in sight 25-11-38	6348000	8795000
Quantity out of sight 25-11-38	3925000	4288000

Cotton Arrivals

Receipts into Bombay on 30th November	10,371
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1938	308,169
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	182,011
Increase	126,158

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Yesterday London gold prices declined 6 1/2d. to £7-8-6 1/2. London Paris Exchange rate was 13 points down at 178.19. Dollar sterling cross rate was 4.68 1/8. London silver prices were unchanged at 20 1/16d. speculators sold and American trade bought. New York silver was unchanged at 42 3/4 cents. Shanghai T. T. on London was quoted 0/8. The local market was quiet with a limited turnover and prices fluctuated within a narrow range.

GOLD

Ready	37 4 3
Magsar delivery	37 4 6
Magsar Tejimandi	0 3 0
Posh delivery	37 4 9
Posh Tejimandi	0 6 9

SILVER

Ready	50 13 0
Magsar delivery	50 13 0
Magsar Tejimandi	0 6 0
Posh delivery	50 11 0
Posh Tejimandi	0 15 0

LONDON SILVER

London, Dec. 1.

Spot	20 1/16
Forward	19 5/16

LONDON GOLD

London, Dec. 1.

Gold bars fine per oz	£7-8-6 1/2

LONDON METALS

London, Dec. 1.

Copper	£43 12 6
Lead	£15 17 6
Spelter	£13 15 0
Tin	£215 13 9

PRECIOUS METALS

The following are the weekly quotations for the Precious Metals.

Platinum 100 per cent Rs. 48 per tola Elephant Brand.

Platinum 97 per cent Rs. 47 per tola Elephant Brand.

Platinum 25 per cent Rs. 14 per tola Anchor Brand.

Palladium 100 per cent Rs. 35 per tola

Iridium 100 per cent Rs. 100 per tola

Osmium 100 per cent Rs. 65 per tola

Ruthenium 100 per cent Rs. 55 per tola

Rhodium 100 per cent Rs. 165 per tola

Bombay Metals

Bombay, Dec. 2.

London Market—

Standard copper cash (buyers)	£43-10-0
Standard copper 3 months	£43-15-0
Electrolytic copper	£50-0-0
Bombay Market—	
Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 40-0-0
Copper sheets	Rs. 49-4-0

Tone:—Steady.

Groundnuts Coromandel Shelled

London, Dec. 1.

January	£10-0-0.
February	£10-0-0.

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Castorseeds May—	
Opening	29 9 0
Highest	29 12 0
Lowest	29 7 6
Closing	29 7 6
Groundnuts Feb.—	
Opening	27 15 0
Highest	28 7 0
Lowest	27 15 0
Closing	28 4 9
Cottonseeds Jan.—	
Opening	21 6 0
Highest	21 6 3
Lowest	21 3 3
Closing	21 3 9

Liverpool Wheat

Liverpool, Dec. 1.

December	55d.
March	54 5/8d.
May	55 1/2d.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Dec. 1.

December	dol 0.63.
May	dol 0.66 3/8.
July	dol 0.66 3/8.

Bombay Sugar

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Ready Javas Rs. 15-6-0.

Shipment Dec. Rs. 5-10-0.

Shipment Jan.-March Rs. 5-12-6.

Shipment July-Sept. Rs. 6-0-0.

Kesar Rs. 14-8-0.

Saraya Rs. 14-7-0.

Java Spot F. 6.25.

New York Sugar

New York, Dec. 1.

March	2.12.
May	2.15.
July	2.18.
September	2.22.

HIGH AND LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, Dec. 1.

Broach A/M 1939 op 160 3/8; highest 161; lowest 160 1/8; closing 160 5/8.

Broach J/A op 161 1/2; highest 162 3/8; lowest 161 1/2; closing 162

Oomra D/J. op 147 1/2; highest 147 3/4; lowest 147 1/2; closing 147 1/2

Oomra March op 146 7/8; highest 147 1/8; lowest 146 1/8; closing 147 1/8

Bengal D/J op 121 1/2; highest 122 1/4; lowest 121 1/2; closing 121 1/2.

Bengal March op 122 3/4; highest 123 1/4; lowest 122 3/4; closing 122 3/4.

Teji/Mandi for Broach A/May 1939 (21-12-38) Rs. 3 5/8

Teji/Mandi for Broach A/May 1939 (24-3-39) Rs. 9 1/8.

Teji/Mandi for Broach J/Aug. 1939 (24-6-39) Rs. 14 1/4.

LONDON PRODUCE

London, Dec. 1.

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe parcels Jan-Feb. sellers	22/4 1/2
Wheat Barletta Russo parcels Jan-Feb. sellers	23/1 1/2
Wheat South Australian, parcels	unquoted.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Dec. 2.

3 1/2 per cent G P Notes (Cash)	98/9
2 3/4 per cent 1940/52 Loan	99/6
3 per cent 1951/54 Loan	101/10
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	102/13
3 per cent 1963/65	98/2
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50	105/4
4 per cent 1940/43 Bonds	108/6
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan	111/3
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 Loan	119
5 per cent U P Bonds	98
5 per cent 1939/44 Loan	102/2
5 per cent 1940/43 Loan	105/14
TAX FREES	
5 per cent 1943/55 Loan	116/10
4 per cent 1958/63 Mysore	111/8
5 per cent 1955 Mysore	124
CORPORATION DEBENTURES	
4 per cent 1974 B P T	110/4
4 per cent 1974 M Deb	109/8
4 per cent 1974 M Deb	119
5 per cent 1954 M Deb	130

Tone:—Steady.

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Dec. 2.

B C RATES—

T T D D 1/5 27/32

LONDON—

Bank's selling T T D D 1/5 7/8

Bank's buying T T 1/5 15/16

Bank's buying D D 1/5 31/32

Bank's buying 3 months 1/6 1/32 to Nov.

NEW YORK—

Bank's selling T T 237 3/4

Bank's buying T T 284 1/2

Bank's buying D D 233 3/4

PARIS—

Bank's selling T T 1,309

Bank's buying T T 1,342

JAPAN—

Bank's selling T T 78 5/8

Bank's buying T T 78

Bank's buying 60 days 77

AMSTERDAM—

Bank's selling D D 63 5/8

JAVA—

Bank's selling D D 63 1/2

HONGKONG—

Bank's selling D D 85 1/4

SHANGHAI—

Bank's selling D D 47 1/2

SINGAPORE—

Bank's selling D D 157 3/8

BERLIN—

Bank's selling D D 85 3/4

CROSS RATE—

New York/London 4.68.06 1st inst.

Japan/London 1/2 1/64 2nd inst.

Hongkong/London 1/3 2nd inst.

Shanghai/London 0/8 2nd inst.

Java/London 8.58 1/2 2nd inst.

London/Paris 178.19 1st inst.

London/Belgium 27.66 3/4 1st inst.

London/Switzerland 20.59 3/4 1st inst.

London/Berlin 11.67 1/2 1st inst.

London/Stockholm 10.40 5/8 1st inst.

London/New York 4.67.87 1st inst.

London/Amsterdam 8.60 1st inst.

London/Italy 88.93 1st inst.

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet, Uncertain.

Gold £7-9-1 30th ulto.

Gold £7-8-6 1/2 1st inst.

Silver London Ready 20 1/16 30th ulto

Silver London Ready 20 1/16 1st inst.

Silver London Forward 19 3/8 30th ulto.

Silver London Forward 19 5/16 1st inst

Silver New York Ready 43 30th ulto.

Silver New York Ready 43 1st inst.

London Discounts 3 months 13/16 to 7/8 per cent 30th ulto.

London Discounts 3 months 13/16 to 7/8 per cent 1st inst.

London Discounts 6 months 7/8 per cent 30th ulto.

London Discounts 6 months 7/8 per cent 1st inst.

Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.

Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.

Money:—

Call 1/2 per cent.

3 months 1 1/4 per cent.

6 months 1 1/4 per cent.

Tone:—Steady.

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

London, Dec. 1.

Call Loan London	1/2
3 per cent	76 3/8X.D.
3 1/2 per cent	90 1/4X.D.
3 1/2 per cent 1954/59	101 1/2
4 per cent 1948/53	105 3/4
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	111 1/4X.D.
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	115 1/4
5 per cent 1942/47	107 1/2
3 per cent 1949/52	98 1/2
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	71 1/4X.D.
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	99 1/8
4 per cent Funding Loan 1960/90	108 3/4
Indian Iron and Steel New Ordinary	46/10 1/2

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Dec. 1.

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	£72 1/2
Indian Stock 3 per cent 1948 XD	£76 3/8
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later XD.	£90 1/4
Indian Stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55 XD.	£111 1/4
Consols 2 1/2 per cent XD	£71 1/4
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£99 5/8
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£99 1/8
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£108 3/4
Victory Bonds	£107 3/4
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	£9 1/2
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg.	£83
National Bank of India	£35
P and O Banking Corporation	£7 3/4

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Dec. 1.

T. T. London on:—	
New York	4.67.87
Paris	178.19
Berlin	11.67 1/2
Madrid	100.00
Montreal	4.70 7/8
Amsterdam	8.60 7/8
Brussels	27.68 3/4
Milan	88.93
Berne	20.59 3/4

LONDON SEEDS

London, Dec. 1.

Linseed La Plata Hull c.i.f. ton Dec. sellers	10/17/6
Linseed Calcutta London c.i.f. ton Dec. paid	12/0/0
Linseed Bombay London c.i.f. ton Dec sellers	12/7/6
Rapeseed Toria Hull/Cont. c.i.f. ton Dec-Jan. sellers	11/10/0
Castorseed Bombay Hull c.i.f. ton Dec/Jan. sellers	10/17/6

Decline In Tata Steel Shares

WEAKNESS OF WALL-STREET TELLS

Feeling Uncertain And Increased Selling

BOMBAY: DEC. 2.

Yesterday the Wall-Street Market was easy on realising for tax purposes and the U. S. Steel shares declined dollar 1-1/2 and Anaconda Coppers declined dol. 5/8.

The local market opened quiet in sympathy with the decline in Wall-Street Market and with some Professional support prices improved. Later on there was steady flow of selling which could not wipe off the improvement but prices declined.

To-day being the last day to even up open business there was fairly large Budlee business and the market was in a hesitant mood. The decline in Wall-Street Market disappointed ardent Bulls and they did not like to increase their long interest.

In view of somewhat disturbed state of Wall-Street market, the local market is likely to remain irregular with uncertain tendency.

Tata Steel Dfds. opened to-day at Rs. 1,545 against last closing at Rs. 1,560 and with improved demand prices advanced to Rs. 1,560, but heavy selling depressed prices to Rs. 1,515. The tone of the market was easy.

Cotton Mill shares and other shares on the forward list also ruled easy with a marked absence of any support.

TEXTILE SHARES

BOMBAY, Dec. 2.

100	Ahmd. Advance	420 0
200	BOMBAY DYEING	880 0
100	CENTURY	243 0
100	CENTRAL INDIA	236 0
100	COLABA	146 8
100	Coorla	95 0
250	David	75 0
250	Dawn	321 4
1	E. D. Sassoon	0 5 3
100	Finlay	120 0
100	GOKAK	153 0
1,000	Hindustan	1,705 0
100	Indore	55 0
100	Khatau	117 8
100	KOHINOOR	255 0
150	Laxmi	522 8
250	Madras United	35 0
100	Morarji	137 0
250	Model	50 0
50	MYSORE	89 0
200	NEW GREAT	224 0
100	Oosmanshahi	40 0
100	PHOENIX	222 8
25	Sassoon Silk	71 0
1,000	Sholapur	3225 0
50	SIMPLEX	77 8
100	SWADESHI	219 0
100	Swan	108 12
500	Vishnu	1250 0
1,000	Westerns	860 0

BANKS.

50-100	Baroda	115 4
25-50	Central	30 0
500	Imperial	1577 8
125-500	Imp. Conty.	384 6
50-100	India	149 0
100	Reserve Bank	115 4
5	Unions	5 12

CEMENTS.

100	Associated	108 12

INSURANCE.

100-500	Empire	696 4
15-100	Jupitor	13 0
20	Mercantile	52 4
15-100	New India	38 8
200	Oriental	4400 0
10-50	Vulcan	7 2

ELECTRIC.

100	Ah. Old	139 6
1,000	ANDHARA VALLEY	1402 8
10	Ajmer	12 2
10	Amalgmd.	12 0
50	Bombay Tram	124 0
100	Bombay Suburban	142 8
10	Broach	10 4
100	Karachi	185 0
100	Poona	170 10
100	Surat	172 8
100	TATA HYDRO	156 0
100	TATA POWERS	1,290 0

RAILWAYS.

100	Ahmedabad Prantij	942 8
100	C. Province	101 0
100	Dn. Baramati	103 4
100	Gujarat	101 0
100	Mandra Bhon	100 8
100	Pachora Jamner	95 0
100	Sara Serajgunj	101 4
500	Tapti Valley	736 4

MINING.

9	Burma Corp.	6-2-0
8sh.	Indian Copper	2-5-0
10	Indian Iron and Steel	31 8
10	Shivrajpur	52 4
70	TATA STEEL DEFDS.	1515 0
75	TATA STEEL ORD.	315 0

MISCELLANEOUS

100	ALCOCK	345 0
60	BELAPUR SUGAR	184 0
200	250 Bombay Safe Dep.	840 0
250	BOMBAY STEAM	214 0
125	B. BURMA	512 8
50	Bombay Conty.	180 0
8sh.	Br. B. Petrol	3-10-3
50	BOMBAY TELEPHONE	82 8
100	I. BLEACHING	125 0
50	Invest Trust	41 6
100	I. Radio Defd	390 0
100	I. Radio Ord.	380 0
100	Port Canning	73 8
30	Premier Con. XD.	65 0
15	Scindia	19 14
25	Tata Oil Mill (nil)	47 8

PREFERENCE.

5	1/2 Amalgmad (T. F.)	106 0
7	p. c. Andhra Valley	1510 0
6	p.c. Bombay Steam XD	283 12
5	p.c. Bombay Tram (T.F)	72 12
5	p.c. Central India (T.F)	575 0
6¼	p.c. Prem. Const 1st.	108 0
6-1/4	p.c. Prem. Const. 2nd	97 0
7	p.c. Tata Hydro	150 10
7½	p.c. Tata Power	1607 8
6	p. c. Tata Steel 1st.	210 10
7½	p. c. Tata Steel 2nd.	159 8
7	p.c. Vishnu	717 8

DEBENTURES.

3-3/4	p.c. Andhra Valley	102 6
6	p.c. Andhra Valley	108 4
4	p.c. Bombay Telephone	52 12
7	p.c. Sholapur	80 6
6	p.c. Tata Hydro.	108 8

(Capital Letters indicate Shares on Forward List.)

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Bombay Dyeing (287/8) 887 882 883 880

Century (249/8) 248 245 243

Central India (239/8) 239 237 236

Kohinoor (259/8) 258/8 257 255

New Great (227/8) 227 226 224

Simplex (78/12) 78 77/8

Swadeshi (222/8) 223 222 219

Associated Cement (106/12) 108/4 108/8 108/4 108/12

Andhra (1438/12) 1402/8

Tram. Ord. (124/8) 124

Tata Hydro (158) 158

Tata Power (1318/12) 1312 1315 1287 1290

T. Steel Dfd. (1560) 1552 1557 1540 1545 1517 1520 1515

T. Steel Ord. (324) 321 324 322 319 317 315

Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (159/8) 159/12 159/8

Bellapur (184) 183 184

B. Steam (213) 211 214

B. Burma (526/4) 523 518 515 520 517 512

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Dec. 1.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amr. Power and Light Com.	6
Amr. Power and Light Pfd 5 p.c. A	34
Electric Bond 5 p.c. Pfd.	57
Columbia Gas and Elec.	7
American Tel and Tel	148 1/2
Sun Life of Canada	430
Western Union Telg.	25
Chesapeake and Ohio Rly	34
New York Central Rly.	18 1/2
Texas Corp.	43 3/4
Amr. Tobacco B.	86
Union Carbide	84
Douglas Aircraft	70
United States Steel	63
Bethlehem Steel	71
Republic Steel	22
United S. Smelting	66
Anaconda Copper Mining	33 1/2
Int. Nickel of Canada X.D.	52 3/4
Chrysler Motors	82
General Motors	49
General Electric	42X
Radio Corp.	7 3/4
Consolidated Oil	8 7/8
Socony Oil	13 3/4
Chase Bank	29 1/2
National City Bank	22 1/2

Turnover 850,000 shares. Narrow market. Brokers loans up 3 million dollars.

Dow Jones averages 148.63 against 149.82 yesterday

BOMBAY YARN EXCHANGE LTD.

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Yarn No. 6 1/2s—			
December	96	0	0
February	96	0	0
April	97	0	0
Yarn No. 10 1/2s—			
December	108	0	0
February	109	0	0
April	109	0	0
Yarn No 20 1/2s—			
December	147	0	0
February	147	0	0
April	148	0	0
Yarn No. 40s—			
December	230	0	0
February	230	0	0
April	231	0	0

Produce Receipts

Bombay, Dec. 2.

Wheat	2,215 cwts.
Linseed	80 cwts.
Gingellyseed	1,363 cwts.
Groundnuts	31,182 cwts.
Castorseed	626 cwts.
Rice	415 cwts.
Myrabollams	312 cwts.
Cottonseed	6,714 cwts.
Gram	2,820 cwts.
Joowar	1,542 cwts.
Barley	470 cwts.
Bajree	2,634 cwts.
Indian Sugar	931 cwts.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS.

London, Dec. 1.

	This week. £
Total bullion	327,700,000
Public Deposits	23,100,000
(A) Other deposits	134,300,000
Government securities	90,200,000
(B) Other securities	38,200,000
Notes and coin	46,800,000
Notes in circulation	480,800,000
Ratio of Reserve to liabilities	29.76 p.c.
(A) Other depoits include bankers	97,100,000
(B) Other securities include discount and advances	17,600,000
Total deposits	157,400

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South African Letter

Solution Of The Indian Problem—By Rifle

FIERY SPEECHES AT SOUTH AFRICAN CONGRESS

Nationalist Leader On Asiatic Menace

JOHANNESBURG, (By Mail).

The Transvaal United Party Congress was held at Pretoria during the mail week, both General Hertzog and General Smuts attending. General Kemp, Minister of Lands presided.

Three resolutions dealing with the question of Asiatic encroachment were taken together. This encroachment was described by speakers as a "canker and an evil", and the Government was asked to restrict the issue of further trading licences to Asiatics, to apply more stringently the immigration laws in respect of Asiatics, and to formulate a scheme to prevent further encroachment of Asiatics into European areas.

One delegate declared: "If any section of the population of this country is entitled to celebrate the Voortrekker centenary, it is the Asiatics. Why? Because the Voortrekkers made the country safe for them. In some parts of the Western Transvaal 75 per cent. of the trade is in the hands of Asiatics, while Europeans struggle to make a living in their shops."

GOVERNMENT POLICY STATED

Mr. Blackwell explained that new trading licences could be granted to Asiatics only by local authorities. Thus the remedy lay with the public itself. In point of fact, no new trading licences were being granted. As far as immigration was concerned, it had been the policy of the Government for some time past to allow no further Asiatics into the Union apart from the wives and children of Asiatics already domiciled here.

General Kemp drew the attention of Congress to the fact that a Government Commission was now investigating the matter and he advised members to give evidence before it.

"Commission or no commission, we must raise our voices to express our intense disapproval over the present state of affairs," affirmed a bearded delegate. "Between Pretoria and Rustenburg almost every white trader has been pushed out of business by Indians and very soon there will be no Europeans left at all"

Another speaker regretted that the fault lay with the Africaner people themselves.

"Put a European shop and an Indian shop side by side, and you will find our Afrikaner people going to the Indian store," he said. "It is a pity, but this is the position."

REMEDY IN OWN HANDS

General Kemp, who presided, said the remedy lay in their own hands, as the properties on which the businesses concerned were situated belonged to Europeans. There were further protests by several speakers, one of them saying, "The nation is determined to end this most pressing of all problems, and if need be it will do so with the rifle."

A motion that no licences be issued to Asiatics and that no transfer of existing licences be approved was carried unanimously.

DR. MALAN ON RACE PURITY

Simultaneously with the United Party Congress, the Union Congress of the Nationalist Party met at Bloenfontein. Dr. Malan, the chief leader of the Party moved the following resolution:

"Congress regards the dominating position of the European race in the spirit of guardianship as of the utmost importance for the future of South Africa. Congress, therefore, declares that it must be the earnest and conscious aim of the European race to preserve its purity so as to ensure sound relations between Europeans and non-Europeans and to prevent the economic retrogression of the European race."

Speaking on the motion, Dr. Malan said:

COLOUR PROBLEM.

Colour problems were the great questions in South Africa's national life. "What we say to-day is—although it is in another form to fit changed circumstances—nothing else than the ideal and point of view of Rellef, Cilliers, Pretorious, Paul Kruger and Marthinus Steyn," he said

It was not necessary to show why the European race should remain pure, or why it should remain the predominant race, using its superior position in a just manner in the interests of South Africa and of the coloured races under its guardianship. That section was becoming more and more articulate, which contended that all sections in South Africa should be allowed to mingle, so that in the long run there would be no difference in colour. These people held that only equal rights could satisfy their sense of justice—equal rights in social, economic and political affairs.

EUROPEAN WILL TO PURITY.

If South Africa was to be preserved for the white man, it was not enough to decide on measures; behind them there must be the will of the European to remain pure. "In South Africa the stream is against us. We must swim against the current if we are to prevent the white man from losing his domination. To do nothing is fatal."

DEADLY MENACE.

Referring the Indian problem in Transvaal, the Nationalist leader said:

In the Transvaal, too, the Asiatic question was pressing, for the Oriental, having greater ability, was a more deadly menace than any other non-European.

GOD'S HAND IN INEQUALITY.

Dr. Malan defended the policy of white superiority and said:

"There were certain Churches—Churches which had not originated in this country—which preached the doctrine that there must be no colour discriminations, politically or socially. Those Churches overlooked that God had an object in creating races and colours and nations, and that God did not want his creational work to be destroyed."

Mr. B. G. Kher addressing the gathering at the 17th annual session of the Bombay Engineering Congress at the Conference Hall of the B.E.S.T. on Thursday afternoon.

'QUAKE SHOCK IN QUETTA

QUETTA, Dec. 2.

Quetta experienced an earthquake shock of minor intensity last night at about 11-40 p.m. its duration was about seven seconds —A. P.

New Building For Radhanpur School

(From A Correspondent.)

RADHANPUR, Nov. 30.

Sheth Kantilal Ishwarial, Prominent share-broker of Bombay has offered a handsome donation of Rs. 40,000, for building premises of Radhanpur High School. This offer is understood to have been accepted by the State. The school will be named after "Kantilal Ishwarial."

Prof. K. S. Arnold has been appointed Professor of Sugar engineering at the Imperial Institute of Sugar Technology, Cawnpore.

Profits Of Prohibition

People's Economic And Moral Condition Improving

AHMEDABAD, Dec. 2.

Prohibition of intoxicating drinks and drugs has now become a settled fact in the Ahmedabad dry area. People have come to recognise it as a normal condition of life, to realise it as a permanent social factor. The influence of prohibition is clearly manifest in all directions and in every walk of life, says the monthly report of the prohibition Department.

The economic results are clearly observed in the moods of living of working class communities that were the victims of drink and drugs evil. Inquiry shows that they are better off than in pre-prohibition days in all respects. The savings effected by the introduction of prohibition is generally used in paying off debt, buying clothes, utensils, ornaments and other necessities of life for the family.

On the other hand there are hostile forces which have to be reckoned with. A group of persons who were in the liquor trade before the introduction of prohibition are exploring all avenues of continuing their trade through every possible loopholes that legally or otherwise exist in the present scheme and arrangement of the dry area.

This danger, of course, was unforeseen. It is reinforced by certain unfavourable elements in the situation, such as existence of small native States and Baroda territory on the border lines of dry area, Agency territories which are not under direct control of the Government of Bombay, and neighbouring liquor shops in close vicinity of the limits of dry area.

Now, that the monsoon season is over and more roads will open which were uptil now barricaded on account of rainy water, it will require more promptness and vigilance on the part of the excise department also.

9 KILLED: 20 WOUNDED

Alleged Attack By Ziladar And His Men On Tenants

LUCKNOW: Dec. 2.

Nine persons were killed and 20 seriously injured at Birampur, when, it is alleged, a Ziladar, with 200 men, attacked a party of tenants, wires the Jaunpur correspondent of a local daily.

It appears, the correspondent adds, some two miles from Pilkichcha between Gaura and Birampur there is a big plot of land about which there was a dispute between the Ziladar and tenants on account of the change in route of the Gumti river. It is stated that the tenants of Birampur wanted to take possession of the plot adjoining to one plot which has now been submerged in the river, but the Ziladar objected to it. The tenants, it is reported, went to the plot of land and constructed few huts there. Following this about 200 men armed with lathis, spears and Gandasas led by the Ziladar reached the spot and attacked the tenants as a result of which 9 persons were killed and twenty seriously wounded.

The dead bodies, it is further stated, were thrown to the river. Three bodies were, however, recovered later and taken to a hospital for 'post mortem.'

On receipt of this information the President and other office-bearers of the Jaunpur District Congress Committee, hurried to the spot. Further investigations are proceeding.—United Press

SENSATIONAL POLITICAL ARREST OF BRITISH INDIAN

Goa Police's Charge Against School Master

(From A Special Correspondent)

According to the latest news received here the Goa police have arrested and detained in the Margao police lock-up Mr. Bhat, a British Indian subject who earned his living by giving tuitions

So far as could be ascertained the charge against him is that he entered into correspondence with Mr. Pradhan of the Bombay branch of the Goa Congress Committee and that he is believed to have been engaged in 'communist' activities.

THE JUDICIAL VERDICT.

It may be recalled in this connexion that Mr. Pradhan himself, who was a teacher in the Asolna English School, was similarly arrested, detained and subsequently released. The 'Club Juvenil', a sporting organisation attached to the school was also suppressed and continues to remain so in spite of the fact that the Judge of Quepem Division who went through the evidence found nothing substantial against the members of the Club and accordingly the case was dropped.

It is interesting in this connexion to note that there is a British Consul in Goa who is responsible for safeguarding the legitimate interests of British Indian subjects. The case of Mr. Bhat has naturally created an amount of general interest in all circles.

CIVIL LIBERTIES OF BRITISH INDIANS IN GOA

Plea For Definition Of Correct Procedure

The "Goan Observer" writes:

Will you allow me to call the attention of the Civil Liberties Union and the Goa Branch of the Congress as well as of the Bombay Government to the need of taking action to ensure that British Indian subjects living in foreign India have their rights adequately protected?

CASE IN POINT

The case of Mr. Pradhan, who had been arrested, detained in police custody and released some time ago, in connection with the Goa policies 'anti-communist' drive appears to me a typical one. We insist that British Indian subjects who live in Goa should be treated according to the law of the land. If they have committed any political offence they should be tried in a fair manner. But the fact that Mr. Pradhan was not put up for trial raises the question of procedure according to the correct practice followed in these matters.

PANIC IN GOA

I find that a panic has been created amongst British Indian residents in Goa and the news of a fresh arrest justifies it. As Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru's Autobiography is held to be 'seditious' literature although it is not known to have been banned entry into Portuguese territory, the Consular representative must take up the question.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT'S DUTY

It seems to me to be the duty of the Political Department of the Government of Bombay to clarify and correct this position. If Pandit Jawaharlal's book becomes 'seditious' or 'communist' literature, there is no reason why the Bombay Government should permit the existence of organisations and propaganda with a clerico-fascist orientation in British territory. The matter deserves careful examination and, if necessary, diplomatic representations must be made to end this inequitable situation.

Dancing School For India

Congress Leaders Back Uday Shanker's Scheme

"The help that we are getting from the Congress Government in U.P. makes me feel that our attempt to establish an Indian dancing School at Almora will be a grand success" said Mr. Uday Shankar in an interview to the "Associated Press"

"Not only has Pandit G. V. Pant the Premier of U.P. promised to give us free land at Almora but he is making a keen interest in the scheme Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit are also helping us", he said.

"We intend to raise the capital for our enterprise in India by private donations. A good portion of the money is also coming from America", said Mr. Shankar.

Asked whether foreign students have applied for admission, Mr. Shankar replied "I received hundreds of applications from American students soon after the publication of the news that I was going to start a dancing school in India. But I have decided not to take any foreign students for at least five years for we have too many things to do. Not the least of our tasks is the evolution of a systematic course of instruction in the different schools of Indian dancing."

"It will not be possible for us to accept Indian students at least for a year", he said, because teachers of dancing from different parts of India must meet and think out a definite plan for teaching before we can actually start to train students."

"If this enterprise proves to be a success", Mr. Shankar continued "we will start dancing schools in every provincial capital of India." "It may be Bombay to have the first provincial school" he added.

Mr. Shankar has come to Bombay to receive Madame Simkie who is returning from Europe by the "Conte Biancomano". —A.P.

Enquiries made in the Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee Office reveal that 1,48,544 Congress members have been enrolled this year in Maharashtra as against 1,63,880 enrolled last year.

Edgar Wallace's Detective Story Day By Day

INSPECTOR WADE — *GUNMAN'S BLUFF*

CALL ME A BLUNDERING IDIOT, WILL YOU? ME, TH' GUY WHO CAPTURED WADE!
SUCH MANNERS, CONNORS!
9-2
I THOUGHT THIS WOULD MAKE YOU MORE SENSIBLE....NOW IF YOU'LL BEHAVE, I'LL PUT THIS AWAY. WE CAN HAVE A NICE, QUIET TALK....
OKAY!
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WE BOTH WANT WADE OUT OF THE WAY, OF COURSE.... AND YOU OUGHT TO LET ME HAVE A CUT OF YOUR RACKET FOR BRINGING HIM HERE, CONNORS!
TH' BOSS AIN'T CUTTIN' NOBODY IN!
WE SEEM TO HAVE REACHED A BLIND ALLEY, CONNORS!
YEAH, AN' ONLY ONE OF US IS GONNA GET OUT OF IT,

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